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PORT-AU-PRINCE, Hayti, May 23, via HAVANA, June 1.—The Legislature is engaged on the troubled financial condition of the country. Every Senator has a pet scheme for its improvement, and plans to consolidate the old currency for the new. Government is to contract for a loan to establish a national bank. Logwood is abundant. The arrivals of coffee are insignificant. The anniversary of the birthday of Queen VICTORIA and of King ABRADEUS were celebrated with great pomp. The *Hornet* continues to be closely watched by a Spanish war vessel. Her new Captain has arrived from New-York with new boiler and machinery. Her repairs are continuing to be made actively and steadily. The Spaniards made an unsuccessful attempt to purchase or capture the *Hornet*.

ASIA.

The Afghanistan War—Treachery at Home.

LONDON, June 1.—The *Times* has a dispatch from Bombay to the effect that Herat, Afghanistan, fell into the hands of YAKOOB KHAN through treachery, and that the Governor was killed instantly.

THE DEMOCRATIC QUANDARY.

Action of the Tennessee State Committee and Press—A Desperate Effort to be Harmonious.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., June 1.—The Democratic State Executive Committee met today and adopted resolutions declaring their acceptance in good faith of the issues of the war, with all the late amendments to the Constitution, and their acquiescence in them as the supreme law of the land, and also declaring their approval of the late Democratic Congressional address. At a meeting of the editors of the Democratic Press of the State, in this city, this afternoon, the action of the Committee was unanimously approved and indorsed.

Meeting of the Ohio State Convention at Columbus—Nomination of Gen. George B. Cox for Governor.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, June 1.—The Democratic State Convention met at 10½ o'clock this morning. The attendance is large. JOHN T. MCKINNEY was elected temporary Chairman. The following Committee on Resolutions was appointed: First District, Wm. M. Ramsey; Second District, M. W. Oliver; Third District, C. L. Vallandigham; Fourth District, Charles Hawkins; Fifth District, O. M. Jamison; Sixth District, C. A. White; Seventh District, J. E. Wright; Eighth District, H. D. Laughlet; Ninth District, G. F. Dickinson; Tenth District, T. H. Hunt; Eleventh District, George K. Allen; Twelfth District, A. Mayo; Thirteenth District, George W. Morgan; Fourteenth District, D. S. Uhl; Fifteenth District, W. H. Golden; Sixteenth District, J. M. Estes; Seventeenth District, D. Woxley; Eighteenth District, W. W. Armstrong; Nineteenth District, J. H. Olds. A resolution instructing the Committee on Resolutions not to consider the Fourteenth and Fifteenth amendments in its deliberations was tabled. The Convention took a recess till 2 o'clock P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

On reassembling, a permanent organization was effected with GEO. H. PENDLETON as Chairman, and one Vice-President for each Congressional District. After the reports of the several Committees, Gen. GEO. W. MORGAN submitted the following resolutions as the report of seventeen out of the nineteen members of the Committee on Resolutions, and moved for their adoption:

1. *Resolved*, That, denouncing the extraordinary means by which they were brought about, we recognize as accomplished facts the three amendments to the Constitution recently declared adopted, and consider the same as no longer political issues before the country.

2. We demand that the rule of strict construction, as pronounced by the Democratic Party, accepted by a majority of all parties previous to the war, and inscribed in the tenth amendment to the Constitution, be rigorously applied now to the Constitution as it is, discarding all theories based upon the amendments above referred to, and insist that these amendments shall not be held to have in any respect altered or modified the original theory and character of the Federal Government, but only to have enlarged the powers delegated in it, and to that extent, and no other, to have abridged the reserved right of the States; and that, thus construed, the Democratic Party pledges itself to a full, fair and absolute execution and enforcement of the Constitution as it now is, so as to secure equal rights to all persons under it, without discrimination or favor, race, color or previous condition of servitude.

3. That the absolute equality of each and every State within the Union is a fundamental principle of the Federal Government; that we shall always cherish and uphold the Amendent system of State and General Government, the States for local purposes, and the General Government for general purposes only, and are unalterably opposed to all attempts at consolidation or consolidation of power in the hand of the General Government, and deem especially odious such attempts as are the tendency of usurpation by any department of that Government.

4. That we adhere firmly to the principle of maintaining perfect independence and equality of coordinate departments of the Government, the legislative, executive, and judicial, condemning all encroachments by the one upon the functions of the other.

5. We hold the fundamental law as expressed in the Constitution is necessarily paramount until abrogated as prescribed by that instrument, all legislation is in its nature and purpose temporary, and subject to the unconditional control of the will of the majority of the people, as expressed through the lawmaking power, and that the pretense of any act of Congress not executed or apent, as any legislative policy of party or expediency hereafter to totally incompatible with the whole theory of government, and that it is the unquestionable right of the people of themselves and through their representatives, in each successive election and in each successive Congress, to judge what legislation is necessary, proper or appropriate to carry into execution or enforce the central powers, rights and duties of the Federal Government.

6. That as an instance of eminently appropriate legislation under the Fourteenth Amendment, we demand now of Congress universal amnesty.

7. That while we denounce all violence, combinations and conspiracies against the laws, whether in the South or elsewhere, and demand of all good citizens their unconditional influence to put all such down, we also denounce the act commonly called the Bayonet bill, recently passed by Congress, and the more recent act commonly called the Ku-Klux bill, extending, in its terms to every State, and enacted for no other purpose than to complete the centralization of all power in the hands of the General Government, and to establish a military despotism, and thus to prepare the present Administration, without regard to the will of the people, and as not only inconsistent with the whole theory and character of the Federal Government, and as revolutionary and dangerous in their character, but are in direct conflict with the spirit and letter of the Constitution, including the amendments which they pretend to enforce.

8. That, holding still to the good old Democratic doctrine of annexation, or the acquisition of territory, we are yet totally opposed to the scheme of Freedmen's GRANT to acquire San Domingo as a job, and by the means and for the purposes evidently intended.

9. That we are in favor of a strictly revenue tariff, confined to the theory, and principles of all other just and wise tax laws, and opposed to the protective theory so-called.

10. That profligate corruption and wanton extravagance which pervade every department of the Federal Government, exercise the interests of labor and supersedine a handful of aristocrats, are a wicked deprivation of the people of their rightful heritage in public lands which have been made gifts to railroad and other monopolies to the more than $30,000,000 premium during the administration of President GRANT in Government bonds payable at par; maintenance at an enormous cost to the people of nearly $20,000,000; and an unconstitutional, oppressive and extortionate system of bonding, whereby money is made scarce and interest high, are abuses which call for wise and thorough remedies.

11. That we are in favor of strict economy of a return to specie in current dues of the Federal and State Governments; of the collection of internal revenue by the State authorities, thereby retaining in the hands of the people the large amount now collected and handed over to the subsistence and the speedy trial, conviction and punishment of the thieves who have stolen the taxes paid by the people.

12. That while we reject repudiation, we equally reject the false pretension to put the bondholders more upon the contract with their demands; that if bondholders have rights so have tax-payers, and we insist upon justice being done to both; that the currency in which bonds are to be paid in, in the same currency he loaned to the Government; that where he loaned greenbacks he should be paid in greenbacks unless the contract otherwise provides; and where he loaned gold he should be paid in gold; that to guard against a contraction of the currency, the 5-20 bonds should be made convertible into three per cent bonds at the option of bondholders, and bonds to be redeemed at par when presented for redemption; that the true standard of economy in regard to payments is to pay the least money or its equivalent that the country will accept, whether coin, paper or bullion, and that the best policy is to withdraw the money of the country from circulation as little as possible, stop gambling in gold, and thereby prevent the evils of the fluctuations of the Government currency.

13. That with the watch-word of reform we confidently go to the country, that we believe the interests of the great body of the people are the same; that sectional issues have ceased to exist; that they are equally honest, brave and patriotic; that we are equal to them as to our brothers and that we shall not cease to obtain relief from corruption and oppression by wring and cowardice every where.

14. Upon the question of how we receive that we are in favor of the acceptance of the fifteenth amendment as ratified by three-fourths of the States Constitution.

Mr. STEINBRENNER, who stood on MORGAN'S side during the reading of the resolutions, seconded the motion for their adoption. FRANK H. HURD, on behalf of the other two members of the Committee, moved to strike out the first two resolutions of the majority report and insert the following instead:

That the Fourteenth and Fifteenth Amendments, having been made parts of the Constitution by violence and fraud, are revolutionary and void.

The motion was lost—yeas 169, nays 396. The majority report was then adopted—yeas 395, nays 120. On the second ballot GEORGE W. MCCOOK was nominated for Governor, and F. HURD for Lieutenant-Governor.

Midnight.—The Convention is still in session. The balance of the ticket has been nominated, except two officers.

THE PUBLIC DEBT.

Decrease During the Month of May, $4,439,349 33—The Monthly Statement.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—The following statement of the public debt has just been published:

Debt Bearing Interest in Coin.

Bonds at six per cent	$1,071,344,000 00
Bonds at five per cent	283,764,700 00
Principal	$1,404,125,750 00
Interest	32,092,627 60

Debt Bearing Interest in Lawful Money.

Certificates of indebtedness at four per cent	
Navy Pension Fund at three per cent	$675,000 00
Certificates at three per cent	14,000,000 00
	34,460,000 00
Principal	$48,675,000 00
Interest	350,772 20
Debt on which interest has ceased since maturity	1,956,695 20
Interest	207,128 69

Debt Bearing no Interest.

Old demand and legal-tender notes	$356,000,000 00
National currency	49,074,762 20
Coin certificates	17,345,400 00
Principal	$418,419,662 20
Unclaimed interest	13,013 12
Total debt	$2,350,067,717 10
Interest	32,672,430 07
Total	$2,382,740,148 06

Cash in the Treasury.

Coin	$28,774,675 28
Currency	8,891,566 16
Total	$37,666,263 44

Debt Less Cash in the Treasury.

June 1, 1871	$2,350,194,184 81
May 1, 1871	2,305,878,543 14
Decrease of Debt.	
During the past month	$4,439,358 33
From March 1, 1871	21,674,358 11
From March 1, 1869, to March 1, 1871	204,754,418 09

The statement of bonds issued to the Pacific Railroad Companies shows the totals as follows:

Principal outstanding	$64,618,000 00
Interest accrued and not yet paid	10,752,910 45
Interest repaid by transportation of mails	2,576,716 39
Balance of interest paid by the United States	7,377,193 39

The following is a recapitulation of the statement of bonds purchased by the Treasury Department which have been canceled and destroyed:

Principal of the bonds	$206,506,750 00
Amount paid in currency	222,425,304 23
Premium by ratio of interest accrued bonds	
bought, &c	3,924,092 80
Net cost in currency	226,906,355 31
Net cost estimated in gold	192,159,092 94
Average premium on the total purchases to date, in currency	9 82
Average cost in gold of total purchases to date, in gold	7 82

The public bonded debt has been reduced by the amount of these bonds, which have ceased to bear interest and have been canceled and destroyed. There have also been paid in coin and canceled and destroyed other bonds, to the amount of $6,966,000, which matured Jan. 1, 1871.

THE TURF.

Baltimore Races.

BALTIMORE, Md., June 1.—The trotting which was postponed from yesterday on account of the rain took place today. The track was in fine condition, and the attendance large.

FIRST RACE.—Purse $1,000; for horses that never beat 2:30, best three in five, to harness; $500 to first, $250 to second, $150 to third.

SUMMARY.

Hickory Jack	1	2	1
Andalusia	2	1	2
Fanny Fern	3	3	3

Time—2:26, 2:21½, 2:23, 2:26.

SECOND RACE.—Special purse $3,500, best three in five, to harness; $2,000 to first, $1,000 to second, $500 to third.

SUMMARY.

Goldsmith Maid	1	1	1
American Girl	2	2	2
Lucy	3	3	3

Time—2:21, 2:22, 2:22.

Both races are pronounced among the finest, most exciting and well-contested ever witnessed. In the second race, first heat, *Goldsmith Maid* came in the winner, leading *American Girl* half a length, with *Lucy* close up, and in the last heat about one and a half lengths. During the third heat *Goldsmith Maid* never broke her trot or made a skip.

Massacre of a Ship's Crew by the Indians at the Straits of Magellan.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 31.—JOSEPH LERRITZ, a seaman of the British steam-tug *Princess Louisa*, wrecked in the Straits of Magellan, has arrived here on a sailing vessel. He reports all the rest of the crew killed or made prisoners.

Annual Meeting of the American Congregational Union.

BOSTON, June 1.—The American Congregational Union held its annual meeting in Mount Vernon Church today. Hon. EMERY WASHBURN presided, and Rev. Dr. WEBB conducted the devotional exercises. The Treasurer's report showed the receipts were $60,000; and the expenditures, (including balance from last year,) $53,500, which had been paid to sixty-four churches, to aid them in building. Since the Society was organized, 700 churches had been aided to the amount of $375,000, the entire cost of such churches having been $2,500,000.

Terrible Disaster at Sea—Eight Lives Lost.

The steam-ship *Hansa*, Capt. E. BRECKENSTEIN, which arrived at this port yesterday from Bremen, reports that on the 31st of May, at 2½ A. M., when about 300 miles outside of Sandy Hook, she ran into a Norwegian bark, the *Rhea*, Capt. ANDERSON, bound from Rotterdam to New-York. The morning was very dark, and a thick fog rendered it impossible for the lookout on the steamer to see the bark until it was too late to alter the course of the vessel. The bark sunk in a few moments after she was struck, carrying down with her the Captain and seven of the crew. The two mates and five seamen were, however, rescued by the steamer, and brought into this port. The *Hansa* is now lying at the Quarantine.

THE WEATHER.

Meteorological Record.

The following is the Signal Service report of the state of the weather and wind last night, Thursday, June 1, at 11:47 o'clock:

Place of Observation.	Barometer Reduced to Sea Level.	Thermometer.	Direction of Wind.	Force of the Wind.	State of the Weather.
Augusta, Ga.	30.03	72	....	Calm.	Fair.
Baltimore	30.14	69	....	Calm.	Cloudy.
Boston	30.10	62	S. W.	Light.	Fair.
Charleston	30.08	78	N.	Light.	Clear.
Charleston, S. C.	30.11	76	S. E.	Light.	Clear.
Cincinnati	30.04	66	S.	Fresh.	Lt. Rain.
Cleveland	30.06	60	N. E.	Light.	Threat'ng.
Detroit	30.03	70	S. W.	Light.	Clear.
Key West	30.00	78	S.	Light.	Cloudy.
Mackinaw	30.06	60	N. E.	Brisk.	Clear.
Port Huron, Mich	30.06	67	S.	Gentle.	Clear.
Indianapolis	30.00	77	....	Calm.	Clear.
Louisville	30.00	76	....	Calm.	Clear.
Lake Ontario	29.97	76	S. E.	Light.	Cloudy.
Memphis	29.94	75	....	Calm.	Fair.
Milwaukee	30.06	71	S. W.	Fresh.	Lt. Rain.
Mobile, Ala.	30.00	76	....	Calm.	Cloudy.
N. W. Washington	30.23	70	S. W.	Brisk.	Thr'tn'g.
Nashville	30.04	74	....	Calm.	Fair.
New-London	30.13	63	....	Calm.	Fair.
New-Orleans	30.02	77	....	Light.	Fair.
New-York	30.18	64	E.	Light.	Foggy.
Norfolk	30.17	67	E.	Gentle.	Cloudy.
Omaha	29.91	69	....	Calm.	Fair.
Oswego	30.04	66	....	Calm.	Clear.
Philadelphia	30.16	68	S.	Calm.	Fair.
Pittsburg	30.10	74	....	Calm.	Clear.
Portland, Me.	30.04	57	S. W.	Fresh.	Cloudy.
Rochester, N.Y.	30.05	70	S.	Light.	Fair.
Sandy Hook	30.18	63	S. E.	Fresh.	Fair.
Savannah, Ga.	30.06	76	S. E.	Light.	Fair.
St. Louis, Mo.	29.95	73	....	Calm.	Fair.
Toledo, Ohio	29.97	74	S.	Light.	Clear.
Washington	30.14	70	S. E.	Gentle.	Cloudy.
Wilmington	30.14	75	S. E.	Light.	Fair.
Burlington	30.19	72	....	Calm.	Fair.
Lonesburg	30.05	73	....	....	Cloudy.
Cape Vincent	30.10	65	....	Calm.	Foggy.
Grand Haven	30.03	78	S. W.	Light.	Fair.
Davenport	29.98	76	N. W.	Fresh.	Clear.
Cairo	29.92	78	....	Calm.	Fair.
Leavenworth	29.94	73	....	Calm.	Clear.

Barometer corrected for elevation and temperature.

For the first time since the establishment by the Signal Office of their eight new stations, reports were received at 6 o'clock last evening from the entire forty-eight stations. The Signal Office expresses its thanks to the Western Union Telegraph office for its promptness in sending the weather reports on the regular time.

Synopsis and Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, June 1—7 P. M.—The barometer has again fallen somewhat on the Pacific coast, and has risen at the Rocky Mountain stations and in the Missouri Valley. It has fallen decidedly from the Mississippi to Southern Florida, and is rising from South Carolina to Maine. The temperature has risen from Pennsylvania eastward, but elsewhere remains sensibly the same as on Wednesday, excepting a heavy fall at Key West, where heavy rain has fallen. Rain fell very generally during the night from Georgia to Massachusetts, followed today by clearing up weather. Cloudy and threatening is at present reported from Southern Missouri, and probably also prevails in Georgia and Florida. Pleasant weather has prevailed on the Lakes.

PROBABILITIES.

It is probable that partially cloudy and pleasant weather will be experienced on Friday from Missouri to Virginia, and northward. It is probable that rain and high winds will prevail in the Gulf, west of Florida, during the night.

City Meteorological Report.

The following observations show the temperature, &c., yesterday, at the Central Park Mineral Springs:

Temperature.	6 A.M.	9 A.M.	12 M.	3 P.M.	6 P.M.
Degrees Fahrenheit	66	67	73	74	69
Stand of barometer in inches	....	29.89	29.87	....	29.89

Wet-bulb hygrometer at noon, degrees Fahrenheit, 72.

THE CODE AMENDMENTS.

Statement by Senator Wood, of the Conference Committee—The Objectionable Sections Never Adopted or Considered by Them.

From the Rochester Democrat, June 1.

The note from Senator WOOD, which we append, fully corroborates the published accounts of the secret and iniquitous origin of the Code Amendment bill. In the essential fact that the objectionable sections were interpolated into the act surreptitiously, Mr. WOOD is sustained by Senator MURPHY, the distinguished Chairman of the Judiciary Committee, and by every other competent authority. No member of the Conference Committee has asserted that the odious provisions of the bill were considered and adopted by that Committee; hence, even without Mr. WOOD's positive proof that they were not so considered, the evidence would be conclusive. But the authoritative statement of the Chairman of the Conference Committee on the part of the Senate must silence even those who are disposed to cavil.

GENESEO, N. Y., May 29, 1871.

To the Editor of the Democrat & Chronicle:

None of the objectionable sections of the proposed amendments to the Code were passed by until they became public, after the adjournment of the Legislature, *nor were any such amendments ever proposed, disclosed or suggested to the Committee by anybody.* The Conference Committee, of which I was a member, *never agreed to any such report as now appears over the signature of its members;* and such amendments were to my knowledge or belief "laid within the folds of the bill when TWEED made his motion." True, I did not examine the report after it came back from the House to the Senate for concurrence, but several Senators did, and among others Senators HADDENING and KENNEDY. Senator KENNEDY examined it for some time, and, as I thought, looked over the entire report. The clerk read the report and bill before they were voted upon, or so much as he saw fit to read. It is well known to everybody acquainted with the course of legislation that the clerk does not read a bill through on its third reading; in a majority of cases only the first and last sections. This has been the practice for years. The statement in the *Argus* that "The clerk (Mr. CALKINS) commenced reading the report, when Senator WOOD interrupted the reading, and stated that the amendments were all satisfactory; that there were no objections to any of them; that the reading was superfluous, and he moved the suspension of the reading," is not in accordance with my recollection of what occurred. I am quite positive I made no such motion. What did occur, as I remember it, was this: Senator BOWEN inquired whether there were any important changes proposed by the committee. I answered, and *answered truthfully, that there were none;* that he had seen them all, except an amendment to section 132, which the committee had reported, and which I thought was right, and I added, (as I remember distinctly,) that a certain amendment proposed by the House, which he and I were opposed to, had been unanimously stricken out by the Conference Committee. And yet that very section appears in the report as having been adopted, and other sections which were agreed upon do not appear at all. I affirm positively "that the obnoxious sections were neither offered, considered nor adopted in the Conference Committee," nor was any proposition to insert such sections suggested or alluded to. The report of the Conference Committee was drawn by one of its members appointed on the part of the House. It was brought to me in a somewhat chaotic condition, the several amendments being on separate pieces of paper, and each affixed to the original bill as "riders." I signed it when we were in a hurry, and according to my recollection when I was engaged in another confrence committee on another bill. I did not read the report. Had no time to do so; but supposed and believed it was the report agreed to by the Conference Committee. It was acted upon and adopted by the House first, when it was sent to the Senate and concurred in. I was profoundly astonished to find, when the provisions of this bill became public, that it contained the obnoxious provisions in question. Perhaps I am not entirely blameless for not reading the report of the Conference Committee before I signed it, but in legislation, especially during the haste and confusion of the closing hours of the session, it is usual and often necessary to rely on the honor and integrity of our associates and fellow-members.

The foregoing is a correct statement of my connection with "the obnoxious sections of the Code amendments." I am as innocent of any attempt to fasten these opprobious measures upon the people of this State under the form of a legislative enactment as any Republican Senator or member of the Assembly whom the journals of the two Houses falsely show to have voted for them. The proof is incontrovertible that *not one of us knew, or had any reason to suspect, that an attempt would be made to interpolate such a law in the statute book.*

Respectfully yours, JAMES WOOD.

WASHINGTON.

The New-York Central Railroad Tax Question.

Ingenious Proposition of Mr. Augustus Schell—Mayor Emery Spells a Little Game—The Ku-Klux Bill—Miscellaneous.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, June 1.—AUGUSTUS SCHELL has been busy here today in the interest of the New-York Central Railroad, to which the payment of Government Taxes seems a dead loss. The first effort of the road is to obtain an appeal from the decision of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue to the Secretary of the Treasury, so as to get an opinion from the Attorney-General, but, unfortunately, for the road, the law makes no provision for an appeal of this kind, and though the reply to the road is not made, it cannot fail to deny this request. The collection has been ordered immediately, and the end sought in endeavoring to obtain this appeal is doubtless nothing but delay. The road proposes to sue the Collector for the recovery of the tax, and expects, whatever the delays, to find this its only resource at last. Failing in securing an appeal to the Secretary, the next concession asked is that the Company, instead of paying the tax absolutely, may place in the hands of the Collector interest-bearing bonds for the amount of the tax to be held by him as collateral security till the decision of the Court is announced. The object of this request is plain enough. One million one hundred thousand eight hundred dollars, the amount of the tax, accumulates interest rapidly. If the bonds are held by the Collector, when the decision of the Court is made, if in favor of the Government, the original amount of the assessment goes to the Treasury only, while the interest accrued will fall to the road. The more likely the decision to be in favor of the Government the greater the advantage to the road of delay, as the interest accrues at the rate of about $70,000 annually, while the decision is delayed, and ceases as soon as it is rendered. On the other hand, if the Court should decide in favor of the Road its bonds, interest and all, would be returned, and it would have lost nothing, while if the tax was now paid in money and recovered at some future time, the interest would be lost to the road. It is not known what answer will be made to this proposal, or what other ingenius proposals Mr. SCHELL has in reserve to bring up when this may have been defeated. The Company professes to be able to prove before the Court that part of the earnings on which the tax was assessed had accrued before the law took effect, but this would only cause a reduction of the amount of the assessment, even if proved.

THE CENSUS MARSHALS OF 1860.

The payment of Assistant Marshals who took the Census of 1860 in the Southern States, for which an appropriation was made, was placed in the charge of the Census Office. But claimants are obliged to present proofs of loyalty satisfactory to the Secretary of the Interior. There are several claims of persons who were in the Confederate army, but who profess to have joined it under duress on account of the existence of the Confederate Conscription laws. The Superintendent of the Census decides that in order to show that a person acted under duress, so as to escape the penalty due his action, it must be proved that he was actually arrested by military force and taken to headquarters, otherwise, he says, an insurrectionary government could protect all its citizens from punishment by simply passing conscription laws. This decision is approved by the Secretary of the Interior, and two or three applications for pay have been decided in accordance with it. The Southern Claims Commission has the same question before it, but a ruling has not been made.

THE CITY GOVERNMENT DEFUNCT.

The expiration of the municipal Government of Washington, yesterday, or rather this morning, was the occasion of an amusing incident. The Boards of Aldermen and Councilmen have clung to official existence with a zeal worthy of a better cause, having met nearly every night of late and used up a great deal of the people's money in paying a multitude of claims. But last night they gave up the ghost, both Boards having adjourned *sine die* and vacated their chambers, the Governors Private Secretary was sent at the dead hour of midnight to seize the City Hall in the name of the Territorial Government. This was duly done and the young sovereignty was safe. But Mayor EMERY arose this morning as bland as usual, apparently unconscious of the fact that he was *functus officio*, and at the decent hour of 10 o'clock he sent a polite note to the Governor, informing him that he was now ready to surrender the City Hall and the city archives, being in blissful ignorance of the fact that possession, *ex et armis*, had been taken nearly twelve hours before. Mayor EMERY is too slow for the new Government, but he was too fast for the Tammany jobs that came down here in the shape of water meters, and which were greased through the Councils, to be caught by a very sensible veto from the Mayor.

ENFORCING THE ENFORCEMENT ACT.

The Ku-klux bill will be thoroughly enforced by the War Department. An order has been issued to the commanders in the South to respond to the requests of civil officers to protect them in the discharge of official duty, and the internal revenue officers will apply directly to the Department Commanders for assistance, instead of to the Revenue Office here. Today, the Secretary, in response to the request of a United States Marshal, telegraphed an order for the movement of troops, but all other circumstances and information is kept secret, in order to insure the success of the movement.

PERSONAL.

Secretary BELKNAP will remain in the city during the Summer, except when called away by the business of his Department. Senator SCHURZ left here for Missouri today.

REDUCING THE ARMY.

The reduction of the army being in progress according to law, the War Department is literally besieged with applications for discharges, receiving many more applications than the number of discharges that will be made. The Department, instead of considering these requests, is striving to make the reduction required from the number of those who have proved of least value to the service. The reduction to 30,000 men will be completed this month, and after July 1 no further discharges will be made. The army will then be in a highly efficient condition, all but 2,000 or 3,000 of the entire army being fit for constant service.

THE NEW BONDS.

The first of the new bonds which the Treasury Department will send to Europe will be carried by Judge RICHARDSON when he goes. The only way in which any bonds could have found their way to Europe is through the dealers in New-York.

CAPT. HALL'S POLAR VOYAGE.

Capt. HALL, previous to leaving here, will place in the Navy Department a paper in the nature of a report upon the course he intends to follow in his Arctic explorations. He will also designate an officer to be in charge of the vessel when he is absent from her, which officer, under such circumstances, will be responsible to the Government for the safety of the ship.

BOWEN'S BIGAMY CASE.

The result of the evidence given in the Bowen bigamy case, today, by the witnesses from New-York, is to establish pretty conclusively that the record produced from the New-York County Clerk's office is a forgery. Justice OLIN decided early in the day that the record was open to attack, and young HARRINGTON, Assistant District-Attorney, made it his for the eminent counsel on the other side, DAVID DUDLEY FIELD, H. T. HERRICK and others. E. M. PLUMB, Clerk of Records in the County Clerk's office, New-York, testified to the record of equity cases in his possession; read the entry in the case of CHRIS. C. BOWEN *vs.* FRANCES BOWEN, dated May 11, 1865; petition filed Jan. 11; June 3, decree made. He also found the name of BOWEN *vs.* BOWEN in the index. The case was not indexed in order, for the original index had been lost, and this was made hurriedly. He had made a casual search for the original papers, but did not find them. He certified to the record, and compared to with a certified copy of the original. On further questioning, he testified that the accompanying papers, to which he also certified, were not compared with any other papers. A lawyer, whose name he did not know, brought the papers to him. DAVID N. COOPER, sworn as an expert, testified that there was an erasure, under the words "CHRIS. C." and "FRANCES," and "S. B. CUSHING," the attorney, and under the first he saw indications of ink by the glass; could not say there was any difference in the handwriting of CHRIS. C. and BOWEN. In cross-examination, he said on page 344 there was an erasure, but no attempt to conceal. Witness found several other erasures. Mr. GEO. D. SICKLES, father of Gen. SICKLES, was sworn. Witness has been a lawyer in New-York for forty years; Mr. CUSHING was connected with him from 1856 to 1860; they kept a record of their cases; never saw Mr. BOWEN in his office; witness was in his office every day in January, 1865. ANSON HERRICK, publisher of the New-York *Atlas*, sworn. Witness produced files of the *Atlas*, and under date 14th of January, 1865, found no such advertisement as a notice of C. C. BOWEN to FRANCES BOWEN. Mr. HARRINGTON read what purported to be Mr. HERRICK'S affidavit as to the publication of the notice, and Mr. HERRICK said he never made such an affidavit. He usually made such affidavits as proprietor of the *Atlas*, and not as chief clerk. Witness never published such advertisements in the supplement, which contained only corporation notices. STEPHEN B. WOOD testified that he was connected with the New-York daily *Transcript*, and produced files; found no notice in the case of Bowen *vs.* Bowen in the paper. On cross-examination witness testified that as foreman he would have seen the notice twice if it had been in the *Transcript*; it was not in the paper on the day mentioned nor during the year. R. C. BENNETT testified that he was deputy Clerk of Chambers in New-York; was referee in May, 1865; no such case as C. C. BOWEN *vs.* FRANCES BOWEN was referred to him in that month, nor was there any such case on Judge BARNARD'S docket. On cross-examination he stated that only about half of Judge BARNARD'S cases reach him. Sometimes the reference to a referee is not heard by him. Mr. HARRINGTON read the affidavits of ALLEN C. ANDERSON and HENRY S. WILLS in the case of BOWEN *vs.* BOWEN, and witness said he did not recollect of taking their affidavits, nor did he recollect ever seeing BOWEN or taking his affidavit. Mr. BOWEN and his counsel retired, with the permission of the Court, for consultation. On returning into Court Mr. RIDDLE recalled Mr. PLUMB, and handed him a record of the Court of New-York, which Mr. HARRINGTON objected to being received. The Court decided to receive it. It was a copy of a decree issued some months ago. Mr. PLUMB testified that he issued the exemplification attached to it, but did not know the contents of it. He said the copy of the decree had been certified to by a clerk of fifteen years' standing in the office of the Court. After certifying to it he handed it back to the person who brought it to him, and whom he did not know. This was on the 29th of May, last Monday. Mrs. PETTIGRU KING BOWEN was called to the stand. Mr. HARRINGTON objected to her testifying. Mrs. BOWEN asked the Court if she could take her husband and go home. Mr. HARRINGTON withdrew his objection, Mr. RIDDLE asked if the counsel objected to her on the ground that she was C. C. BOWEN'S lawful wife. Judge OLIN said he did not understand on what theory or why this woman could testify. He would permit her to testify, however. Mrs. BOWEN testified that she had enclosed $5 to the Clerk of the Court for the paper in question, and she got it to satisfy herself. The testimony on both sides was closed today, and the case will go to the jury to-morrow. Another disagreement is looked for.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

APPOINTMENTS.

The President has made the following appointments:

George W. Wood, Collector of Internal Revenue for the First District of Texas; Selah Waters, Assessor of Internal Revenue for the Third District of Tennessee, and Alexander H. Wallace, Collector of Internal Revenue for the Fifth District of Texas.

ENFORCING THE REVENUE LAWS.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has sent the following circular to the Supervisors in the Southern States:

"In accordance with the recent proclamation of the President, the Secretary of War has issued orders to the commanding officers in the various departments, directing them to cooperate with the civil officers in the enforcement of the laws, upon application of the latter officers for such assistance. Whenever, therefore, the aid of troops is necessary in your district, you will apply for the force required, directed to the commander of the department in which the troops are to be used, reporting your action to this office and the circumstances upon which it is based."

THE SOUTHERN INVESTIGATION.

The Subcommittee of the Ku-klux Congressional Committee held a meeting today at the Capitol. Present, Senators SCOTT, POOL and BLAIR, and Representatives COBURN, STEVENSON and VAN TRUMP. The absentees were Representatives POLAND and BECK. Several responses were received from Southern States, in compliance with a circular of the Committee, giving their financial condition. The Subcommittee will commence the examination of witnesses tomorrow. Among those summoned is Judge JAMES L. ORR, of South Carolina. It is the intention to obtain only a general view of the condition of the South, particularly since the passage of the Ku-klux law, and to make a report to the full Committee, to meet here Sept. 20, which will then determine whether the Subcommittee shall be sent to particular localities to take testimony.

COURT OF CLAIMS.

An interesting case was today decided in the United States Court of Claims. LOUISA MENWAY, an English woman sojourning in North Carolina during the rebellion, not only devoted her time and service, but furnished supplies to the Union troops, relieving them with the utmost liberality. Her cotton was seized and sold, and she petitioned to the Court for the recovery of the proceeds of the sale, but during the latter part of the war she wrote President JEFFERSON DAVIS a letter, in which she expressed in warm terms her loyalty to him, with a view, it is supposed, that she might secure his assistance in her getting out of the country and sailing for her home. This fact, unfortunately brought to the notice of the Court, the letter having been found among the captured Confederate archives in this city, the genuineness of which was proven by comparing the manuscript with the handwriting of her petitions, the Court admitted this as evidence, and gave a decision against her, on the ground that she thus furnished aid and comfort to the enemy. Judge BLISS dissented, saying the comparing of handwriting was not legal evidence such as required, and therefore should not have been admitted. The Atocha case was not decided. This was a claim for $900,000 against the Mexican fund, Congress having directed the Court to assess the damages. The claim was resisted, on the allegation that ATOCHA conspired with SANTA ANNA to overthrew the Mexican Government, while ATOCHA maintained that he suffered as a naturalized citizen to that extent by having been expelled from Mexico. The Court adjourned today until Nov. 20, having, during the term just closed, decided 110 cases.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The annual festival of the Unitarian denomination was held at Boston last night, being attended by 2,500 persons. WILLIAM T. DAVIS, of Plymouth, presided, and addresses were made by Richard Warren, of New-York, Rev. Robert Laird Collier, Rev. Dr. Bellows, Rev. George H. Hepworth, Dr. F. W. Hodge, Rev. Henry Forsoot, of England, Rev. J. F. W. Ware, of Baltimore, and Mrs. Julia Ward Howe.

Yesterday, a difficulty occurred between WASHINGTON and THOMAS GOODRICH, brothers, in Baltimore, opposite Barnum's Hotel, when THOMAS drew a pistol to shoot his brother. CHRISTOPHER TRAUTFELDER, a detective, ran up to prevent the act, when the ball entered his abdomen, inflicting a fatal wound. GOODRICH was arrested.

The stockholders of the Kentucky and Great Eastern Railroad organized yesterday by electing the following directors: W. S. Oulter, Geo. J. O. Fremont, of New-York; James F. Brady, of Pennsylvania; Gen. N. P. Banks, of Massachusetts; Col. W. Morton, Dr. John M. Duke, of Kentucky, and A. J. Hodgar, of Ohio.

A large number of colored workmen on the Columbia-street Railroad, in Washington, struck yesterday for higher wages, after accepting a basis of $1 25 per day. The strike occasioned considerable excitement and delay, and the Police were compelled to act to prevent a breach of the peace.

The excursion party of editors from New-York, New-Jersey and Pennsylvania, arrived at Richmond, Va., from Danville, yesterday. They were driven about the city by a committee of citizens and journalists, and, after a sumptuous collation, they left in the afternoon.

Gloomy reports of the crops are received from Pulaski, White, Woodruff and Jackson Coun

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

THE HISTORY OF FLORIDA. From its Discovery by Ponce de Leon, in 1512, to the close of the Florida War, in 1842. By C. B. FAIRBANKS. Philadelphia: LIPPINCOTT & Co.

The State of Florida, or the peninsula now bounded as such, discovered as early as 1512, has been permanently settled more than three centuries, and has been the theatre during that long period of almost incessant activity by Europeans engaged in adventure, in colonization, and in war. Almost a library of books, for the most part printed, have been written treating either directly or incidentally of the land and its successive occupants. And yet, unless we accept this volume of Mr. FAIRBANKS as such an achievement, no single one of these many works is properly entitled to be called a history of Florida, or has afforded even a reasonably accurate and connected account of the long series of stirring and dramatic events that have occurred on its soil. The Spaniards planted the flower of discovery in the New World. From the voyage of COLUMBUS to the conquest of PIZARRO ran a rising tide of Spanish interest in these new countries beyond the seas. Excitement, gold, fame, what other material was needed to fire an inflammable nation in a yet chivalric age? The California gold discoveries attest that even in our prosaic days a touch of the yellow dross is enough to stir the blood of phlegmatic Anglo-Saxons. PONCE DE LEON, having sailed with COLUMBUS, having helped to lay the foundation of Spanish power in the West Indies, and having met the inexorable fate of all office-holders, with the weight of years and the sombre and rankling clouds of neglect and obscurity gradually crushing body and spirit, what else could he do than go philandering after fresh smiles from the fickle Fortune? Tradition has undoubtedly slandered the old rover, in alleging that he went prowling about in search of a rejuvenating philter. He had been sea-sick too often to believe in such nonsense. Nevertheless, as he was perhaps short of cash wherewith to tempt his "marines" to new dangers and hardships, he probably had the ready genius to bait them with the old fable of the fountain of youth. Mr. FAIRBANKS hints that he undoubtedly had faith in the more solid reward of golden trinkets and ingots. Failing in these, as he had already tasted the fascinations of authority, it is reasonable to suppose that, like Sancho Panza, in any event he wanted an island. Whatever may have been his inspiration, this supreme effort of the superannuated old hero was one more proof that it is wise to never despair. The selfish intriguers who got him turned out of his snug berth as Adelantado of Porto Rico are forgotten, while he has enshrined himself in history as the man who discovered and named the peninsula of Florida.

Although he had found his island, it was too large and his barbarous subjects were too refractory. Neither at the date of his discovery, in the year 1519, nor in his later expedition of 1521, did he succeed in realising—in "touching," as the French express it—the rewards and honors of his new empire, of which he held the paper title, although he sacrificed his private fortune and his health in the effort. Meanwhile, the feasibility of sailing from the West India Islands to the main land having been demonstrated, adventurers multiplied. MIRUELO, CORDOVA, ALAMINOS and AYLLON had severally led expeditions to the Peninsula without result. The latter, indeed, who went out expressly on a slave-catching trip, extended his voyage northward, and succeeded, by a base stratagem in carrying off 130 South Carolina Indians. In his comment on this incident, Mr. FAIRBANKS has disfigured one of his pages with a gratuitous piece of bombast. He says:

"So sudden and treacherous an act struck his captives with amasement, and aroused their fierce indignation. No kindness or attention could reconcile them to their fate, and no artifice could divert the minds of the proud and high-spirited sons of Chicora from their grief and proud despair. They were of a different race and spirit from the natives of the Antilles, and would not submit to the restraints sought to be placed upon them. They were of an unconquerable spirit, and their successors upon the soil of Carolina, the gallant sons of Carolina, have vindicated their claim to be considered their descendants, in their spirit of independence, and cold assertion of their rights and liberties."

This feverish ebullition would seem to indicate that the pre-eminent fame of POCAHONTAS is in danger, and that, in addition to the F. F. V., we are threatened with the F. F. S. C. We submit to Mr. FAIRBANKS that to pile all these initials on top of the K. K. K. at this time is a little starting. Even if the somewhat doubtful question of descent were admitted, we should still be incredulous on the subject of the very touchy pride and honor of the "gallant sons of Carolina," especially after reading on the authority of Mr. FAIRBANKS himself, on page 179: "It was perhaps at this period (1706) that Capt. T. NAIRN, of South Carolina, with a party of Yemassee Indians penetrated to the head-waters of the St. Johns and the vicinity of Lake Okeechobee, and returned with a number of captives or slaves, as noted on a map of MOLL'S Atlas of 1719." The habitual practice of these "gallant sons of Carolina" to enslave their Indian neighbors was notorious; and for mere consistency's sake the author should have omitted from his book the extracts we have quoted.

The fame of Mexico for some years eclipsed all other fields of discovery. But NARVAEZ having been foiled by CORTEZ in a plan to displace and supersede him, the former turned his attention to Florida, and after the usual delays and difficulty, landed there on the 14th of April, 1528, with a force of 400 men-at-arms and eighty horses. But he was overtaken by the misfortunes which a woman on board one of his ships foretold him. He seems to have been the feeblest in foresight and enterprise of all the explorers. He separated his forces, lost communication with his vessels, started on an indefinite march with but two pounds of bread and half a pound of meat to each man, and after five months of toil and war, found himself without food to enable him to remain in the country, and without ships to leave it. The desperate fate of his followers is only relieved by the more dramatic tragedy of his personal career. He was finally successful in building five crazy boats in which to escape. In one of these, described by a stone, NARVAEZ per sisted in remaining over night, with a coxswain and page; the wind arose at midnight and drove them to sea, and this conqueror of Florida was never heard of afterward. His followers, endeavoring to work their way along the coast to Mexico, met shipwreck, starvation, and violent death. Four only escaped after the lapse of six years. Of these CABEZA DE VACA has transmitted his name to posterity by the narrative he wrote of the expedition after his return to Spain, and Mr. FAIRBANKS claims for him the honor of the discovery of the Mississippi, though he rather illogically neglects to show why, if indeed he be entitled to the monument he proposes for him on the banks of that stream, the names of his three companions should not be emblazoned upon it beside his own. Next in the chronological order comes that prince of Floridian discoverers, DE SOTO, who eclipses all his coworkers in personal wealth, standing, and reputation; in the number and character of his followers; in the abundance and splendor of their outfit, in the qualities of his leadership, in the length of his march, in the value of his discoveries, and the brilliancy of his exploits. He had the good fortune, too, to find contemporary chroniclers. Mr. FAIRBANKS appears to have made a careful abridgment; but, of course, every such condensation suffers by the omission of the graphic and vivid details that hold the reader with an all-absorbing interest in the glowing pages of THE ORIGINAL IRVING. DE SOTO'S march extended nearly far beyond the present limits of the State of Florida, though the whole region traversed by him was then known under that name. During the three long weary years he spent in fighting his way from Tampa Bay, where he disembarked with all the pride and display of a mediæval tournament, to the spot his starving and disheartened followers, clad in the skins of wild beasts, gave him midnight burial in the Mississippi River, for the purpose of eluding the desecrating vengeance, and cheating the inspiring triumph of his Indian enemies, Spanish ardor and Spanish cupidity clung with unabating interest to this mysterious section of the New World. One or two insignificant land expeditions were encouraged by the Viceroy of Mexico; and when one-third of DE SOTO'S followers finally escaped with only their lives from the terrors of the wilderness to New-Spain, the recital of their sufferings seemed but to embellish and enhance the report of the marvels and wonders they accompanied. The Viceroy urged them to lead a new expedition. But DE SOTO had thoroughly exploded the gold-bubble; and his surviving soldiers knew too well there was no further Peru to plunder. The more tedious fruits of permanent colonization could not tempt them to return. Nevertheless, increasing knowledge and extending commerce, and especially the maritime dangers of the coral reefs, rendered the occupation of Florida more desirable, and even necessary, from year to year. At the instance of the Viceroy of Mexico and the Bishop of Cuba, the Spanish Government ordered a final effort in this direction. TRISTAN DE LUNA sailed from Vera Cruz with fifteen hundred men, landing in Pensacola Harbor on the 14th of August, 1559. He had a larger force than DE SOTO, but neither leader nor followers possessed his character, skill, or courage. That they met the inevitable fate of their predecessors, shipwreck, famine and internal dissensions, is probably due to the fact that like their predecessors they pursued the same alluring phantom of exploration and plunder. But having yielded earlier to the difficulties that opposed them, they maintained their communications by sea, and were enabled to escape from their peril.

This closes the romantic period of the history of Florida. We cannot even speculate whether new advantages might not have brought new sacrifices to that tenacious Spanish faith in a second Peru or Mexico, for now the scenes of history are shifted, and new actors and passions appear upon the stage. The battle of conscience was being fought in France, and the Huguenots, apparently burdened with the presentiment of being overwhelmed, began to prepare for retreat and exile. Under the protection of COLIGNY, whom the fatal night of St. Bartholomy had not yet overtaken, the brave and bold Capt. JEAN RIBAUT landed in Florida, discovered and named the river May, now the St. John's, and finally planted his colony of Hugenots at Port Royal in 1562. A second colony was sent to the St. John's two years later, and a third expedition followed the next year, led by RIBAUT in person. But spies had informed PHILIP II. of this flank movement of the heretics, and he issued his warrant for their extermination. RIBAUT, the leader of the Protestants, and MENENDEZ, the leader of the Catholics, both renowned warriors and skillful captains, landed, by a curious chance, on the same day within fifty miles of each other on the coast of Florida. Then followed a duel of the rival colonies and rival creeds, which forms one of the most dramatic and terrible chapters of the religious wars, in which the Protestants succumbed, and the Spaniards were left undisputed masters of the land. They were not destined to enjoy the full measure of their barbarous triumph. One more page of romance awaited the history of Florida, though of a new type. The privilege and duty of revenging France, and punishing Spanish cruelty, devolved upon one of her private citizens, DOMINIC DE GOURGUES, who in the pure spirit of knight-errantry, planned and carried out an enterprise so daring and so successful, that it reads more like a chronicle of FROISSART than a sober narration of modern history. Yet it was but an incident, which did not change the course of events, and MENENDEZ transmitted to his successors Spanish rule in Florida, and to our own times the city of St. Augustine, which he founded and named.

The Spaniards now held their sway in the peninsula for two long centuries. But they neither exhibited the stubbornness and persistence of the English in colonizing, nor the daring and enterprise of the French in exploration. The settlements were harassed by continual border wars. Their whole energy seems to have expended itself upon what was destined to prove a lost labor—the conversion of the Indians to the Catholic faith. Both the particulars and results of their efforts remain in obscurity and doubt. The missionaries were Franciscans, and did not preserve written records of their labors, as did the Jesuits in the North. While at the end of two centuries the French had stretched a cordon of settlements from the Gulf of the St. Lawrence, around by the great lakes, and down to the mouth of the Mississippi River, and the English had transferred a population of 3,000,000 to the Atlantic sea-board—the Spanish Colonies remained stationary, within their original limits, clinging precariously to an almost untouched wilderness, with an insignificant population of six or seven thousand. Now, that the public mind of the United States is occupied with the problem of future American possessions in the West Indies, it may be interesting to note that a century ago Great Britain, having captured Havana, was willing to exchange Cuba for Florida; and that some twenty years later, after the mutations of politics caused by the American Revolution, that same Power again exchanged Florida for the Bahama Islands.

But want of space forbids our extending an analysis of Mr. FAIRBANK'S book. Considering the great mass of material with which he was necessarily embarrassed, he has digested and grouped it with more than ordinary care and patience; and if he has not brought out as fully as he might have done the salient turning points of these very interesting episodes of American history, the reader is nevertheless under obligations to him for the very much improved facilities this volume affords for their study. It brings the history of Florida down from the earliest explorations to the close of the Seminole war; and while IRVING, PARKMAN, GIDDINGS, SPRAGUE and others have, perhaps, more elaborately and vigorously treated separate features of this long chain of events, he has admirably succeeded in presenting them, for the first time, with distinctness and judgment, in their chronological sequence, and in their more comprehensive relations, within the limits of a single volume.

BENCH AND BAR: A Complete Digest of the Wit, Humor, Anecdotes and Amenities of the Law. By JOHN J. BIGELOW. New-York: HARPER & BROTHERS.

Probably a greater fund of ludicrous incidents and witty sayings is to be found in the records of life in Courts, and among lawyers, than in any other department of human labor. The legal profession naturally attracts a large number of intelligent and brilliant men; and they are continually engaged in contests that sharpen the wits, cultivate self-possession, and keep the mind on the alert. Of the queer things that have happened in Courts, and the good things which have been said by lawyers, of course far the greater part have gone into oblivion, with the mass of "unconsidered trifles" which for the most part make up human experience; but some of them have been deemed worthy of being recorded. From these, scattered in various biographies, books of anecdotes, and periodical publications, the author of this volume has culled a selection, and put them together where they can be enjoyed by the general reader. In doing so he has made a very interesting book, full of bright sayings and funny stories. He has gone into the history of the English Chancellors and the American Chief Justices, and brought out the many curiosities stored therein; he has delved into the biographies of distinguished lawyers for anything striking in their experience or witty in their sayings; and he has gathered from every quarter a store of curious anecdotes and brilliant witticisms such as is seldom got together in a single volume. Altogether, he has done the public a good service in putting forth so entertaining a book.

—Messrs. CHARLES SCRIBNER & Co. are doing the public a good service by issuing a translation of the deservedly popular novels of MM. ERCKMANN-CHATRIAN, in a neat style, at fifty cents a volume—a price that brings them within the reach of all classes of readers. The volumes are of the most convenient size, have excellent print and several illustrations, and are prettily bound in ornamental pasteboard covers. Those already published of the series are *Madame Therese, or the Volunteers of '92*; *The Conscript, a Tale of the French War of 1813*; *Waterloo, a Story of the Hundred Days*, being a sequel to *The Conscript*; *The Blockade, an Episode of the Fall of the First French Empire*.

CUBAN AFFAIRS.

The Volunteers and Valmaseda—Matters in the Central Department—Zea's Movements—Cuban Losses.

From Our Own Correspondent.

HAVANA, Friday, May 26, 1871.

The volunteers gave VALMASEDA a big dinner last night and that is a proof that they wanted to show their appreciation of him, but if we go to the bottom of the affair it was really a demonstration intended to show to the Cubans in this and neighboring cities that the Government and volunteers still hold the reins of power and that they still support each other. But this does not by any means indicate that the revolution is at an end, or that it will finish during the present year. Occasional coup de *main* are made by the Spanish counter guerrillas and eagerly published by the Havana Press; the actions of the Cubans and their deeds on the battle-field are never made public, and according to the Spanish Press, the Cubans have never gained a day or won a fight.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT.

We have reports that under the able management of Gen. PEDRO ZEA, matters are improving in the Central Department, and particularly around the City of Puerto Principe. A convoy left Las Minas Station on the 5th instant, composed of a number of carts and pack-horses, loaded with provisions for the Spanish detachment at Santa Ysabel de Cannas. The train was accompanied by nearly three hundred soldiers, and shortly after leaving Las Minas, the usual scattering fire which the Cubans keep up all along the road began. Seven soldiers were killed in this manner, without being able to retaliate against their unseen enemy. The convoy, with the exception of two mules, reached its destination, and on the morning of the 8th the soldiers went for the Cubans and found about a hundred in the Cartadera Mountains. A sharp engagement ensued, but the Cubans soon began to waver and took leg bail, leaving four of their number and one Spaniard dead on the field. An hour later three of the band were surprised by a small Spanish squad, and immediately executed, one of the latter being a deserter from the Spanish Army, and drill-master of the Cubans. In several other encagements the Spaniards lost about forty and the Cubens about sixty killed, and Capt. CARLOS DE VARONA Y VARONA, a young man of twenty-two, was executed at Nuevitas on the 8th inst.

ZEA'S MOVEMENTS.

The reported movement of Gen. ZEA against the insurgents took place on the 7th inst., the troops moving toward Macarabomba, where they expected to meet the Cuban Cannao Battalion, but didn't. The troops numbered about 2,800, and the Cannao Battalion about 700; discretion in this instance was, undoubtedly, the better part of valor. Between the 7th and the 10th nine Cubans were killed. On the 11th, the forces with ZEA attacked and captured an insurgent camp situated on the rocks called Pilla del Raton. The position was an excellent one to defend, but the valor of the Spanish troops has, perhaps, never been better displayed than it was in this instance. The soldiers clambered up the steep sides of the rock, and in less than half an hour the position was taken, and the insurgents were in full retreat. A Cuban Captain, with about forty young men from Puerto Principe, made a stand for some time, calling on the runaways to return. After losing five men, and seeing the uselessness of sacrificing the lives of his men, he slowly withdrew, causing a loss to the Spaniards of two men killed and several wounded. On the same day Capt. TRIAS, of MONTANER'S counter guerrillas, by paying a premio de oro well, (some say $600,) obtained information as to the whereabouts of Gen. ELOY BEAUVILLIERS, chief of the Cuban artillery. BEAUVILLIERS' camp was surprised and he was killed, together with Capt. ANTONIO MORALES, a son of the Havana lawyer, BACHILLA Y MORALES, Lieuts. PEDRO LEBERT, PEDRO PIEDRA, E. LOPEZ, PIO MILIANO, MARIANO SILVA, and Corps. PABLO SERENA and MIGUEL MUNTADO. On the 19th, by paying some more money to a negro, TIZON captured MANUEL ROSA AGRAMONTE, lately Chief of Staff to the Cuban forces in the Camaguay. Important documents were captured on the persons of BEAUVILLIERS and BOZA. On the 14th the different forces united under ZEA'S command, intending to attack VILLAMIL, but the latter had moved off, and the Spaniards only killed eight stray Cubans in the neighborhood of his camp. On the 16th ZEA returned to Puerto Principe, and it is understood that he will not leave for the country again until the arrival of VALMASEDA. QUASIMODO.

Daring and Successful Robbery.

Mr. BARTHOLOMEW LEES, messenger of the Mechanics' Banking Association, who was upon his usual collecting tour, came out of the Chatham Bank, in Broadway, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, having in the pocket of his coat a large pocket-book, containing $2,666 42 in cash, a check on the Nassau Bank for $470, and another on the Marine Bank for $170. When he reached the corner of Cedar-street and Broadway, he was suddenly and rudely jostled by a party of four men, who, however, passed quickly on. Instinctively, Mr. LEES felt for the pocket-book, and finding it gone, his consternation was instantly depicted in his face. All of this episode in Metropolitan life had been witnessed from the opposite side of the street by Detective ALLEN and Officer MCILHARGY, of the Staten Island Police. Divining what had occurred, they gave chase after the men, who, finding themselves pursued, scattered, and all but one escaped. This one was captured by the two officers and handed over to the custody of Officer HITCHMAN, of the Twenty-seventh Precinct. The prisoner was searched, but none of the stolen property was found upon him, as that it was evident that the plunder had been secured by his confederates. Being arraigned before Justice HOGAN, at the Tombs, the prisoner gave his name as JOHN W. HOWARD, and said he was a native of Pennsylvania, now living at the corner of Orchard and Stanton streets. He was committed for examination.

PERSONAL, POLITICAL AND GENERAL.

One man in Lewiston, Me., who is over seventy years of age, has never sent or received a letter through the Post-office.

A Frenchman, whose name, the Bangor *Whig* says, was GOT DUREL, was drowned at Readfield, Me., on Friday.

Two Atlanta young ladies insisted upon kissing "Ex-President" DAVIS at the public meeting in that city, and they did it.

The canal tolls up to May 25 amounted to $205,577 45—an excess of $139,541 43 over the amount received at the same date last year.

Chief-Justice SIDNEY BREESE, of the Illinois Supreme Court, has nearly recovered from his severe illness.

The Horseheads *Journal* and the Painted Post *News* are disputing as to which of their towns has "the prettiest name."

Prof. NOAH PORTER, of Yale, is to deliver the Phi Beta Kappa oration at Harvard College this year, and BRET HARTE the poem.

A Shetland pony, one week old, which stands twenty inches high and weighs fifteen pounds, is Buffalo's pride.

The Boston *Advertiser* says that the widow of JOHN BROWN did not apply to Mr. WENDELL PHILLIPS for aid, and that the need was unnecessary, and has been supplied by Boston friends.

Two unknown women placed flowers on RULLOFF'S grave, in Binghamton, on the morning of Decoration Day. The act gave offense to some persons and the flowers were removed.

The Democrats of Kentucky, for some reason, are making prodigious efforts to carry their State at the next election. They have called into the field their best speakers.

Richmond, Va., has been exulted by reports of the wide prevalence of the spotted-fever within its limits. The physicians say that the alarm has not been groundless, but the reports of mortality have been greatly exaggerated.

ANDREW JOHNSON has been interviewed in regard to VALLANDIGHAM'S programme, and says he thinks there are some sensible points in it, but that the Democracy mustn't "depart" too much.

A happy father in Florida is writing to the papers of his State about his baby, which is two weeks old, nine inches in length, weighs two pounds, and is remarkable for its beauty, vivacity and cheerfulness.

The Harvard University crew is, and has been for some time, in daily practice. All the men are experienced hands. Five of them are from the Senior class, and two of them, BASS and RICE, were selected to row in the Oxford-Harvard race.

AMENSO L. DAVIS, a young man, formerly a member of the One Hundred and Eighty-ninth New-York Regiment, fell dead in a church in Naples, Ontario County, on Sunday, while with others rehearsing hymns to be sung on Decoration Day.

At the suggestion of Gov. ALCORN, the Legislature of Mississippi adopted a joint resolution memorializing Congress to refund the amount of the cotton tax collected throughout the Southern States during the years 1865, 1866 and 1867. The amount is estimated at $40,000,000.

Among those who by special invitation of the Grand Army Post took part in the decoration of the soldiers' graves in New-Bedford, Mass., was a Southerner who was a Brigadier-General in the rebel army, and served under JOHNSON, BRAGG, HOOD and HARDEE.

A Fort Wayne correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial* says that it was Secretary STANTON who saved MILLIGAN from execution, for his active opposition to the Government during the war, and that he did it at the request of Mrs. MILLIGAN, who, when a child, was one of his school-mates.

The Boston *Traveller*, which is usually accurate in such statistics, says that in that city on Tuesday afternoon, between 2 and 3 o'clock, the thermometer rose to 98 degrees! which was at least four degrees higher than it had been in May for fifteen years, and half a degree higher than the highest point reached last Summer—not as last Summer confessedly was.

A sudden gust of wind, a day or two ago, caused a flag on a building in Albany, to become entangled in some ornamental iron-work around the roof, and in flapping back again it tore away about twenty-five pounds of the iron, and flung it through a window of the house opposite with sufficient force to penetrate through the carpet and floor to the ceiling of the room below.

Comparatively encouraging accounts of the prospects of the wheat crop in East Tennessee are given by the Knoxville *Chronicle* of May 30. In some of the portions, it says, the rust has seriously affected the growing grain, but this is not by any means general, and the larger portion of the crop will, from present indications, more than equal the average. In the lower counties farmers have begun cutting the early wheat, and the yield will be very fine.

Hon. FOSTER BLODGETT, Senator-elect of Georgia, has published in a pamphlet, a defence, backed up by much evidence, against the charges made against him by Hon. JOSHUA HILL, in the United States Senate. He says that the latter was elected by the votes of ninety-six Democrats and ten Republicans; that since his admission he has regularly caucused with the Republicans and voted with the Democrats, and that in Washington he claims to be a Republican, while in Georgia he is a sound Democrat.

A panic was caused in a crowded public hall in Rochester, on Tuesday evening, by two men, who, being refused admission, ran down the stairs crying "Fire." Nearly 200 children were on the stage at the time, and, frightened at the cry, they rushed to escape. In endeavoring to make their way down the narrow stairways, they were crowded together in confusion, and many of them bruised and injured. Fortunately none of them was seriously hurt.

The following official announcement from Harvard College was published in the Boston *Advertiser* under date of May 30: "The stated meeting of the Board of Overseers of Harvard College, held on the 17th inst., having been adjourned to take place this day at 11 o'clock A. M., the Secretary appeared; but no members of the Board being present, the business for which it was called having been transacted at the special meeting held on Monday, the adjourned meeting did not take place, and consequently the stated meeting was dissolved." Definite, surely.

The Vallandigham programme is not tasteful to the Augusta (Ga.) *Constitutionalist*. It wonders that any anti-radical journal, North or South, should claim the bad pre-eminence of being the first to proclaim the Amendments accomplished facts, and it expresses its own opinion of these Amendments thus: "They are accomplished frauds—but accomplished only so long as they stand unrepealed and of practical force. But they stand, as they do, under the solemn protest of the States upon which they were foisted without a hearing. They have never been passed upon by ten of the Southern States, and carry with them no moral sanction."

The Yale Boat Club discussed, at a crowded meeting on Wednesday afternoon, Harvard's last letter offering to row any kind of a race that the Yale Club might name, and it was voted—190 to 90—to stand by the decision of May 24, which was that the Harvard oarsmen be informed that their ambiguously worded letter of May 17 "had been construed as a non-acceptance of the challenge of Dec. 10, 1870, and that the University crew of Yale, having in consequence disbanded, would not recognize any future acceptance of that challenge." A committee was appointed to meet Harvard representatives, and make such arrangements for the race of 1872 as will prevent any mistakes or misunderstandings at that time.

ENGLISH AFFAIRS.

The Sentiment Concerning the Treaty—House Politics—Mr. Disraeli and Mr. Lowe—The Land Movement—The Lords of the Soil—The Man in Women's Clothes—Progress of the Tichborne Case.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LONDON, Saturday, May 20, 1871.

Lord RUSSELL'S motion on the Anglo-American Treaty, which stood for Monday next, but is postponed till the 15th June, represents the kind of doubt and dissatisfaction which prevails in certain quarters on this subject. The terms of the resolution are as follows:

"That a humble address be presented to Her Majesty, praying that Her Majesty will be pleased not to exchange or to ratify any convention for the settlement of the Alabama claims by which Her Majesty will approve of any conditions, terms or rules for which the arbitrator as arbitrators will be guided other than the law of nations, and the municipal law of the United Kingdom existing prior in force at the period of the late civil war in the United States when the alleged depredations took place."

The veteran statesman, by all known, a very rash, impulsive step, and it is not improbable that he may be persuaded to withdraw at least the notice which he gave in haste. In any case, there is no reason, I should say, of the resolution being pressed, for the official element on both sides is in favor of getting the question settled. Lord RUSSELL is ex-official now and forgets that the world has been moving on since he was Foreign Secretary. On the whole I find a strong and general feeling of satisfaction at the prospect of an honorable adjustment of the dispute, but there is also an under-current of disappointment and mortification at the too complete surrender, as it is thought, of the position formerly assumed in England in regard to the matter. I fancy, however, that complete satisfaction on either side would imply cause for dissatisfaction on the other. Mr. SUMNER and Lord RUSSELL may be paired off together.

HOME POLITICS.

The "Colonels" in the House of Commons are still talking against time day after day in the effort to throw over the bill for the abolition of purchase. But they have a very firm and stubborn body to deal with in the present Government, who are disposed to sacrifice anything else rather than give up this measure. The Conservatives know they dare not go to the country on that question, that would be only playing into the hands of the Government, and would give them an enormous majority. So the bill will have to be swallowed in the end, but it will be a hard gulp for the House of Lords. The bill for suspending the Habeas Corpus act in Westmeath (Ireland) having passed the Upper House, has been read a second time in the House of Commons, eleven Irish members protesting against it. One of the minority is JOHN MARTIN, the Repealer, who defied the House of Commons to its face, repudiating its authority, and stigmatising it as a usurper.

MR. DISRAELI AND MR. LOWE.

There was to have been what in sparring circles is known as a grand "set-to" between Mr. DISRAELI and Mr. LOWE on Thursday evening. Three days before Mr. DISRAELI announced his challenge with much pomp of manner. He intended, he said, to call attention to the "general conduct" of the Chancellor of the Exchequer, and it was supposed he meant to perpetrate one of those savage assaults with which he persecuted the late Sir R. PEEL. But, on reflection, he thought better of it; and, though he came to the scratch and made a show of attack, it was clear there was no real fighting in him. He spoke for an hour. Mr. LOWE, with what has been graphically called an oratorical shrug, sneered at him for a few minutes, and then sat down. I fancy DISRAELI put faith in the rumored differences between LOWE and GLADSTONE, and hoped to widen the breach, if there was one, for he was studiously civil to the latter. It is quite certain now that the nation will have to pay a six-penny income tax, and therefore, that, for this year, at least, the working classes are to be relieved from all share of the expenditure of buying back the army from the officers, and placing the national defenses on a solid and efficient footing. This is not only unjust in itself, but a dangerous precedent. The Socialists are very loud-voiced and active just now, and the half-educated artisans, with their crude, hazy notions of social regeneration, have all kinds of wild projects in view, to promote which they would gladly dip their hands into the public purse. This Budget is a direct provocation and encouragement to them to clamor for State aid, as Prof. FAWCETT showed, to emigration, provision for the unemployed, cultivation of waste lands, openings for peasant proprietors, and so on.

THE LAND MOVEMENT.

All who take an interest in English politics should keep an eye on the land movement. That is the question of the future, and by no means a distant future. It is simply impossible that matters can go on as they are at present, though it does not follow that any revolutionary change is needed. Mr. MILL, at a meeting of the Land Tenure Reform League, thus described the policy of the Association:

"We hold that all property in land is subject to the will of the State. This is the broad principle on which our claims are founded, and which, as long as it is confined to theory, few will dispute. Land—and by land I mean the whole material of the earth, underground as well as above—not having been made by man, but being the gift of nature to the whole human race, can only be appropriated by the consent, either express or tacit, of society, and society remains the interpreter of its own permission, with power to make conditions, with power even to revoke its consent, on giving due compensation to the interests that it has allowed to grow up."

That is the broad principle of the League, but for the present, he said, he thought the administration of the waste lands as State property was as much as they were equal to. It is strange that a great economist like Mr. MILL should labor under the delusion that there are any waste lands in this country worth talking of. We have a good many commons scattered up and down England, and there are the Scotch moors and deer forests. But the former are not worth cultivating, nor is it desirable that they should be inclosed and cultivated. As for the Highland moors and forests, they are much more profitable as they are, and to plow them up and extirpate the deer and grouse would be to destroy instead of creating valuable property. The really serious thing about land in this country is the extremely small number of proprietors in whose hands it lies. Mr. BRIGHT has described how in Scotland you can walk for days over the estate of one Duke or another. The Marquis of WESTMINSTER and Duke of BEDFORD have nearly the whole of the west of London in their possession, and when the Marquis' son comes into the title and estates, he will have a yearly revenue of half a million. The whole of the town of Huddersfield belongs to Sir JOHN RAMSDEN. Coventry is also the property of a single family. And so I might go on multiplying instances. Altogether the whole of England is in the hands of probably not more than thirty thousand persons. An English proprietor, if possible, nearly always mortgages rather than sells his land; and the authority he exercises is often irksome and tyrannical. What is wanted is some means of facilitating the sale of land like other commodities, and prevent its being tied up in families. A few simple changes in the law of conveyancing would effect this.

THE MEN IN WOMEN'S CLOTHES.

I am glad to say that the Courts have at last got rid of the Boulton and Park case, and in the most satisfactory manner. All the prisoners were acquitted of the heinous charge against them; and it is quite clear that they should, in the first instance, have been dealt with in the Police Courts for the scandalous use of female raiment, without any imputation of abominable ulterior objects. The whole thing seems to have sprung from some private theatricals, when one or two young fellows played women so cleverly that they could not resist the temptation of carrying on the deceit out of doors and in public places. I have seen them myself repeatedly, and have sworn they were women in men's clothes, for it was in their male attire, curiously enough, that they looked most like the other sex. The Chief-Justice's remark, that a sound whipping is the proper penalty for such tricks, has commanded general approval. It is quite intolerable that such a disgusting and confusing masquerade should be permitted in a decent community.

THE TICHBORNE CASE.

Fancy's deeply-interesting novel by a great master of the art, full of incident and character, sparkling with humor and sarcastic hits at social peculiarities, being published in chapters day by day, each installment being spelled previously before a select audience—fancy that, and you will have an idea of the great Tichborne trial which is now going on in London, and is engrossing universal attention, throwing Parliament into the shade, eclipsing the theatres and driving the novelists to despair. What can Miss BRADDON or Mr. WILKIE COLLINS or Mr. CHARLES READE himself do to compete with the startling and deeply-interesting romance now being unfolded in Westminster Hall? In my last letter I gave you a general outline of the story. On the one hand the claimant presents himself as the long-lost ROGER TICHBORNE, supposed to have been drowned at sea, while on the otherside guardians of the present Baronet, a child four years old, brand the claimant as an impostor, and declare that he is one ARTHUR ORTON, a butcher. At present only the case for the plaintiff is being prosecuted, but the time comes by the other side is, of course, indicated by the cross-examination. The Dowager Lady TICHBORNE, mother of ROGER—now dead—was satisfied that the claimant really was her son, and left an affidavit to that effect. Directly she saw him she instantly recognized him as her first born. "His features, disposition and voice are," she said, "unmistakable." EDWARD HOPKINS, the family attorney, also dead, was equally convinced that the returned Australian was the ROGER. JAMES M'COHIE, a trooper in the Carabineers, who was servant to ROGER when he served in the regiment; Col. NORBURY, Major HAWKWOOD and other brother officers of ROGER in the same regiment; the regimental tailor; Mr. HOPKINS, ROGER'S cousin, and others have given evidence in favor of the claimant. A great deal of similar testimony has yet to be produced, while the defendants are confident of their ability to produce rebutting evidence at least equally strong. The witnesses who have already been examined for the plaintiff are very decided in their conviction of his identity with the lost man; but when they are cross-examined some of the grounds of their belief appear as first sight rather superficial. One of the officers was struck by the claimant having reminded him of a horse of his which killed a servant; another was convinced because, while neither he nor his wife could recollect from whom he bought his troop, the claimant was able to tell them; a third said that at first he had grave doubts, but these were removed by the mention of some "death's head pipes," which the claimant once had in his possession. According to the case for the defense these were all things within the knowledge of the servants, who are abetting the plaintiff and who could have told him of them. Again as to the appearance of the claimant and his likeness to ROGER, the witnesses are not very good at giving the reason of this opinion. They rely more on "expression" than anything else, and especially on casual phases of "expression"—a glance or a smile, a twitching of the eye-brows, and so on. The counsel for the defense have had no difficulty in badgering the witnesses and making some of them look very awkward. But, for my own part, I doubt whether much importance can be attached to points of this kind. The fact is, there are extremely few people who are able to analyze impressions—for the simple reason that while the capacity for analysis is not a common gift, it is, even when it exists, rarely exercised. The great majority of mankind, and still more of womankind, are content to accept impressions as they come, without investigating their origin or testing their value. It does not at all follow that because a person cannot tell you exactly why he holds an opinion, above all, an opinion as to so delicate and subtle a matter as personal appearance, that his opinion is therefore worthless. It came out in the course of the proceedings that then a "Tichborne Joint-stock Company (Limited)" was projected, and that a number of gentlemen, some of them witnesses, have subscribed funds to carry on the suit. Since it was instituted, it has passed through the hands of several solicitors, one of whom threw it up. It is now in charge of a firm of high respectability, who are also the legal advisers of the Conservative Party.

THE CLAIMANT'S STORY.

The claimant's own affidavit and the cross-examination upon it have been read, but he has not yet been put in the witness-box. He describes his shipwreck in the *Bella*, his escape in one of the boats and arrival in Australia, where he got employment as a farm servant and horse-breaker:

"I have traveled with stock. I carried on a butchering establishment. I rode her Majesty's mails. I twice closed my establishment. If you call that failing, I failed twice. I married a woman in service. If she can write at all, it is very little."

He could not tell much about the *Bella* or the vessel which took him to Australia, but says he was tipsy most of the time just previous to and for some days after the shipwreck. He also accounts for the badness of his memory and change of appearance by his rough life and the hardships he went through:

"I used to make hunting and shooting expeditions into the interior, and was often absent by myself for a month at a time. I have been in the mountains four months at one time, without seeing the face of any human being. I was on horseback. * * Before I went to Australia I was not intemperate, but would sometimes take a glass too much. I once met with an accident to my head. I came home in a hurry. I found that certain orders which I had given had not been carried out, and I went out in a passion, and, forgetting that I had loosened the girths, got on the horse, I jumped on it and set off, and some one passing me my horse started. In trying to pull him up, I pulled the saddle over his head. I fell on my head on a newly-metaled road, a stone cut my forehead and face, and broke the bridge of my nose."

There is some difference of opinion as to whether ROGER, before he left England, could be considered decently educated. He mixed French with his English, but he seems to have written pretty fair letters. Now, he not only mispronounces, but misspells. A governess, who was examined, had a scientific theory on the subject:

"I should say the way of spelling 'worrit' was purely colonial. 'Nucheuring to see me' is a little confusion of the French word 'chere.' 'Respectiable,' and all cases of mulmuling vowels, are his old French education not quite worn off."

A county Magistrate, who believes in his identity (though his wife doesn't, and he rather prefers to discuss the weather than this subject with her) confessed that he was not "a captivating boy," and he could not say he was a "captivating man." At first he believed he was an impostor, because "he could not understand a man not communicating with his banker"—a very English point of view. Another gentleman, a cousin of the plaintiff, expressed some rather strong views as to the manners of English gentlemen. Being asked whether he thought the claimant would pass muster as a gentleman, he said:

"I know many men of good family who would not pass muster with English gentlemen—some no higher than farmers, and others only fit to be classed with pig jobbers."

The *Post*, the fashionable paper of London, speaks, this morning, of "a *bona naturæ* of a delicate character," hereditary in the TICHBORNE family, on which the plaintiff intends to offer evidence. The trial is pretty certain to last for some weeks yet. F. J. H.

INSURANCE CONVENTION.

Ninth Day's Proceedings—Reinsurance—Taxes, Fees and Deposits—Blank Forms.

At the session of the Insurance Convention, held yesterday, Mr. HYDE read a paper on "Reinsurance." He asked what portion of the premiums on unexpired risks should be reserved for reinsurance? The old New-York rule was, he said, as equitable as any that had been practiced. It was simply fifty per cent. of the premiums on unexpired risks having one year or less to run, and a pro rata of the premiums or policies having more than one year to run. Exceptions to the fifty per cent. rule were found in a new company, or one whose business was rapidly increasing, and in a company that had ceased business, and was leaving the State. The result of calculations on the basis of fifty per cent. had been found to be about forty per cent

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

COURT OF APPEALS.

ALBANY, June 1.—The following is the Court of Appeals calendar for June 2: Nos. 284, 285, 286, 287, 289, 149a, 302.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Held by Sutherland, J.—Court opens at 10½ A. M. Case on.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Held by Ingraham, J.—Court opens at 10 A. M.—Calendar called at 11 A. M.

Mon.	Mon.
6—In re Mechanics' Banking Associa. tion, &c.	177—Lippiatt Silver-plate Mfg. Co. vs. Rodgers.
68—Hilton vs. Pendleton.	180—Kirschbaum vs. Leonard.
109—Dollner vs. Isaacson.	189—Bacon vs. ——.
123—Bacon vs. ——.	

BANKER COURT.

Part I.—Held by Cleo. J.—Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Mon.	Mon.
2087—Beardsley vs. Mechanics.	2097—Stewald vs. Koch.
2035—Brown vs. Beaman.	

Part III.—Held by Green, J.—Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Mon.	Mon.
2033—Williams vs. New-York and Austin Silver M. Co.	2034—McAndrews vs. Hitchcock.
	—Dollner vs. Isaacson.
	—Bacon vs. Bacon.

DECISIONS.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS—MAY 31.

By Judge Ingraham.

Philip Levy ex. Charles Emmons; motion granted.

Robert Somerville ex. Edward Van Rhust; motion denied, with $10 costs.

In the matter of the application of Montgomery Logan, &c.; memoranda for counsel.

George W. Tucker et al. vs. Minskin L. Bolles et als.; allowance granted.

The National Bank ex. Richmond Mirabeau et al.; motion granted; plaintiff's costs $10, to abide event.

Henry C. Seward et al. ex. Thomas Hunt; motion granted on payment of costs of default and subsequent proceeding, and $10 costs of motion.

Philonise Dartlett et al. ex. D. D. Parks; motion denied, with $10 costs to abide event.

Babette Morgenthaler ex. Jacob Morgenthaler; report of referee confirmed and judgment of divorce granted.

Atkins ex. Howland; motion granted.

Van Alten ex. Van Alten; report confirmed.

Kane et al. ex. Mott et al.; motion denied.

Taylor Iron Works ex. William B. Richards, Jr., et al.; motion denied, costs to abide event.

By Judge Brady.

Leonard ex. Rider; order settled.

Stockwell ex. Elder; order settled.

Bradley ex. Sheehy; order settled.

Reed S. Powell ex. Bennett & Creiger; order granted.

Cornelia Elma Parsons ex. Frederick Wadsworth Parsons; judgment of divorce granted in favor of plaintiff, and the daughter awarded to her custody.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM—JUNE 1.

By Judge McCunn.

Bertine ex. Jackson; Ryan ex. Hudson River Railroad Company; Clark ex. Pennington; Christian Schneider ex. Ann A. Folks et al.; Blake ex. Western Union Telegraph Company; James M. Smith ex. Jacob Dunbard; Felix Weil ex. Stephen Whitehouse; orders granted.

William R. Chambers ex. John W. Durand; Albert Stockwell ex. Josephus Sherlock; motions denied, with $10 costs.

Marsland ex. Byron; order granted.

By Judge Jones.

James P. Morgan et al. ex. Peter Hart; motion granted and order signed.

John M. Fischer ex. Edward Bishop; motion decided.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM—MAY 31.

By Judge McCunn.

Gabriel L. Morgan ex. Justin Purdy; reference ordered.

Gordon et al. Beak; Albert D. Ferry ex. Winthrop S. Gilman; William Kerr et al. ex. John Raeder; Charles W. Moore ex. Joseph Leary; orders granted.

John H. Pulsston ex. F. R. Wallace; reference ordered.

Wilcox ex. Wadsworth; The Bridgewater Patent and Cutlery Works ex. Jacob Pabst et al.; Gilhooley ex. Bolt; Coulter ex. Morgan; The South Carolina Mining Company ex. Samuel Hurd et al.; orders granted; Margaret Black ex. Samuel H. Black; motion to set aside former order granted; Chambers ex. Durand, Christopher ex. Staples; orders granted.

Charlotte Gilmore ex. Charles F. Gilmore; report of referee confirmed, and judgment of divorce granted.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—MAY 31.

By Judge Joseph F. Daly.

Fowler ex. White; motion denied.

By Judge Larremore.

Berger ex. Thornton; motion granted.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—JUNE 1.

By Judge Joseph F. Daly.

Coyles ex. The Fall River Iron-works; commission may issue to Mrs. Tillinghast, of Providence, R. I.

Angevine ex. Canford executor; motion granted.

Clark et al. ex. Green; motion denied.

In the matter of the assignment of Robert L. Taylor; motion for attachment denied without costs.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.

Before Judge Blatchford.

In the Matter of the Petition of C. T. Bowring & Co., Mortgagees, vs. The Surplus and Remnants of the Ship Edith; and In the Matter of the Petition of Same vs. The Surplus and Remnants of the Ship Polar Star.—The following interesting decision regarding the relative bearing of gold and silver coin in this country and in England, has been rendered by Judge BLATCHFORD:

The claim of the mortgagees in each of these cases is evidenced by a mortgage of the vessel to secure the payment of a promissory note, dated New-York, June 18, 1869, whereby Charles Carew, the mortgagor, promises, twelve months after date, to pay to his own order "£1,000 sterling in gold coin of the United States, at Messrs. Shaute' National Bank, in the City of New-York, with interest at seven per cent., payable semi-annually." It is agreed by the parties that the sum of £1,000 sterling lawful money of Great Britain is now worth in New-York $4,866 in the gold coin of the United States, being at the rate of $4 86 in the gold coin of the United States for the £1 sterling of such lawful money of Great Britain. I have no doubt that it was the intention of the parties to the notes and mortgages that the sums of money thereby agreed and secured to be paid, should be estimable only in gold coin; that such were the contracts, and that such contracts are adequately expressed at the time. Such contracts are as lawful when made, since the passage of the Legal-tender acts by Congress, as they were when made before, and must be carried out according to their terms. A decree by a Court of the United States for the payment of money can be made only for the payment of so many dollars of some species of money that is made lawful money by a statute of the United States. It follows that the recovery in these matters is for so many dollars in gold and silver coin, lawful money of the United States, as an equivalent to the number of pounds sterling, lawful money of Great Britain, expressed in the notes and mortgages, with the agreed interest added, at the rate of seven per cent, as stated. If the surplus and moneys in Court consist of money that is less in value than gold or silver coin of the United States of an equal denomination, so much of such money must be applied to the satisfaction of the recovery as will purchase the amount of gold and silver coin of the United States for which the recovery is had.

These conclusions necessarily follow from the decision in the case of Bronson vs. Rodes, (7 Wallace, 229.) Butler vs. Horwitz, (id., 258,) and Forbes vs. Murray, in this Court, November, 1865.

F. F. Marbury, for the petitioners; John Sedgwick, for the mortgagees.

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART II.

Before Judge Gross.

A HUSBAND'S LIABILITY FOR HIS WIFE'S DEBTS—THE KELLOGGS AGAIN IN COURT.

Alexander T. Stewart et al. vs. Edward R. Kellogg.—This is an action by plaintiffs, composing the firm of A. T. Stewart & Co., to recover from defendant the sum of $158 83 for goods sold to defendant's wife. As already reported frequently in the TIMES, its readers will remember that between this defendant and his wife, to whom the goods were sold, a suit for divorce has been long pending in the Courts of Kings County. The defence set up in this action was that the goods were not furnished with defendant's knowledge or consent, that he had always provided his wife with the necessaries suitable to her position, and that before the sale of these goods plaintiffs had notice from defendant that if they trusted his wife it would be at their own risk.

Judge GROSS rendered a decision in favor of plaintiff for the full amount claimed, with interest.

Henry H. Rice for plaintiff; Van Cott, Winslow and Van Cott for defendants.

Cruelty to Car-Horses—Mr. Bergh Active.

Yesterday afternoon, in West Broadway, the car-lines were blocked for a considerable time, owing to several lame horses being turned out of harness by Mr. CAMPBELL, the Superintendent of Mr. BERGH'S Society. Two horses belonged to the Sixth-avenue line, which, as a rule, runs very good stock, and gives Mr. BERGH very little trouble. The drivers wanted to hitch on two cars to one team, after taking out the lame horses, but this arrangement Mr. CAMPBELL would not allow, it being, he said, "too warm for double work even for animals." Eventually the cars from which the lame horses were turned out, were shunted off the track, thus clearing the road. Late in the day the Grand-street and Forty-second-street line, and the Broadway and University-street lines were blocked for similar purpose and with like result.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—JUNE 1.

FIRST BOARD.

$1,000	U. S. 5-20 C. '65, c.	112⅝	
7,000	U. S. 5-20 C. '67, reg.	114⅞	
2,000	U. S. 5-20 C. '67, c.	114⅞	
3,000	U. S. 5s, 10-40 C.	108⅝	
50,000	U. S. 6s, Cur.	114⅝	
20,000	Tenn. 6s, ex. c.	71	
24,000	Tenn. 6s, ex. n.	71	
10,000	do.	70⅞	
10,000	do.	70⅝	
10,000	do.	70⅝	
4,000	Mo. 6s, c.	94⅜	
3,000	Erie 1st M.	90	
1,000	Erie 1st M.	90	
1,000	C. & P. R. 1st M.	97	
4,000	Mo. 6s, c.	94⅜	
4,000	Mad. Cent. 1st M.	90	
3,000	C. & P. R. 1st M.	97	
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3,000	N. Y. 1st, 7s, P.	103⅛	
1,000	do.	103⅛	
4,000	Mo. 6s, c.	94⅜	
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1,000	C. & P. R. 1st M.	97	
1,000	Mad. Cent. 1st M.	90	
3,000	Cent. Pac. G. M.	102⅝	
10,000	Union Pac. 1st M.	92	
10,000	U. Pac. 1st, L. G.	87	
10,000	do.	87	
2,000	Bal., L. & W. 1st	97	
2,000	W. & W. C. 1st M.	90	
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12,000	Col., C. & I. C. 1st	67⅜	
5,000	C. Falls & M. 1st	80	
1,000	do.	80	
3,000	L. Div. bds.	84	
3,000	Central Pac. 1st	89	
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100	do.	32	
200	Canton Co.	85	
100	do.	85	
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NEWS OF THE DAY.

EUROPE.

There is much diversity of opinion among the Paris journals as to the future of the country. The majority, however, favor the continuance of the republic. The *Figaro* prefers a monarchy. Prince NAPOLEON, in a letter to M. FAVRE, condemns the proclamation of forfeiture of the Empire, and demands of the authorities a plebiscite on the question of the future form of government. The sale of newspapers in the streets is prohibited, and the *Ordre* was seized yesterday morning, for what cause is not stated. Summary executions have ceased. The prisoners are on trial at Versailles. Four hundred barricades were found in Paris. Large numbers of Frenchmen and foreigners are returning to Paris to resume their commercial and manufacturing operations. The Versailles troops are not now as popular as when they entered Paris, owing to their severity toward the population. Two more members of the Commune, MM. FRANKELL and FORTAINE, have been arrested. M. JULES FAVRE has resigned. The Marquis DE GABRIAC goes to Berlin June 2 as the French Ambassador. Two regiments of the Prussian Guards have returned to Germany and their places have been supplied by other troops.... The London *Times* hopes Canada will "loyally" ratify the treaty of Washington, although it may be hard to give up the fisheries without getting reciprocity in trade. Mr. GLADSTONE has been indisposed. The colliers of South Wales have resolved to strike for an advance. The Portuguese Ministry experiences difficulty in finding a system of raising money acceptable to the Cortes. In the meantime preparations for the reception of the Emperor of Brazil are progressing. The rumors of ecclesion and a Carlist rising in Spain are officially contradicted.

GENERAL.

The Canadian journals continue to discuss the treaty of Washington, and to speculate upon the probable action of the Dominion Parliament. The Ottawa *Times* says that the Government and Sir JOHN A. MACDONALD have reserved to themselves the most complete freedom of action, not having committed themselves to the ratification of the treaty. The Ottawa *Citizen* says Sir JOHN A. MACDONALD signed the treaty with reluctance and reservation. A Canadian Minister has also declared that the Government and Parliament are quite free to deal with it as the interests of Canada may require. The British Columbia papers are excited over the prospect of losing the island of San Juan, and advise the British Government to hold it by force.

The President, yesterday, appointed WM. M. CROSBY and HENRY L. WARNER, of Montana, and WILLIAM H. PARSONS, of Texas, to be Commissioners for celebrating the centennial anniversary of American Independence at Philadelphia.

The appeal of the New-York Central Railroad Company against the recent decision of Commissioner PEARRINGTON, has been referred by Secretary BOUTWELL to the Solicitor of the Treasury, in order to obtain his opinion as to whether such an appeal can be made, as a preliminary to final action on the subject.

President GRANT and family, accompanied by Gen. PORTER, left Washington yesterday morning for Long Branch.

JOSEPH LEBRITZ, of the British steam-tug *Princess Louise*, wrecked in the Straits of Magellan, reports all the rest of the crew killed or made prisoners.

The Secretary of War has issued orders to the commanding officers in the Southern States, directing them to co-operate with the civil officers in the enforcement of the laws, upon application of the latter officers for such assistance.

The great storm of Tuesday night did considerable damage to the Chemung Canal and Feeder. A short distance from Corning, a small stream that comes down from Baskerville became rampant and carried away a dam. The whole volume of water then rushed down and and emptied itself into the canal. No break was occasioned, but 3,000 yards of gravel were deposited into the canal, entirely stopping the flow of water. About six days will be required to remove the obstruction.

The public debt has decreased $4,430,359. The coin balance is $86,744,978; currency, $6,861,-389; certificates, $17,145,000.

We are indebted to Purser J. F. BALDWIN, of the Havana steam-ship *Cleopatra*, for the prompt delivery of our correspondence and newspapers from Cuba.

The President yesterday made the following appointment: Hon. GEORGE BANCROFT, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the German Empire.

The American Congregational Union met yesterday in Boston. The Treasurer's report showed $80,000 receipts, and $82,000 expenditures, including the balance of last year. Seven hundred churches have been built since the organization of the Society, at a cost of $2,500,000.

The Democratic State Executive Committee of Tennessee yesterday met in Nashville and adopted resolutions "accepting the issues of the war" with the amendments to the Constitution. The Democratic editors of the State also held a meeting, and indorsed the action of the State Committee.

The Ohio Democratic State Convention was organized yesterday in Columbus by the election of Hon. GEORGE H. PENDLETON as permanent Chairman. A long series of resolutions was adopted. Gen. MCCOOK was nominated for Governor.

The Haytian Legislature is discussing the meddling Sumner, but every Senator has a pet scheme of his own. A loan is to be effected to establish a national bank. A Spanish cruiser is still watching the *Hornet* at Port-au-Prince.

The annual session of the Grand Temple of Honor and Temperance of the State of New-York, has been in session in Rochester for two days past. Grand Worthy Templar C. B. KRACH, presiding. The following are the officers chosen for the ensuing year: G. W. T., Calvin E. Keach, (re-elected;) G. W. V. T., James McDonald; G. W. R., J. T. Read, (re-elected;) G. W. C., John Scott; G. W. U., W. H. Erwin; G. W. G., A. B. Norcross.

The Truth About the Republican Reorganization.

We have hitherto refrained from referring to the plan for the reorganization of the Republican Party, adopted under the authority of the State Committee, because we desired to see what could possibly be said by those who would be certain to oppose it. Messrs. SINCLAIR TOUSEY, BENJAMIN F. MANIERRE and others held a meeting at that ark of political and Republican purity, Police Headquarters, and have now issued their protest. It contains, we may fairly presume, all that the most hostile critics can find to say against the proposed reorganization. We propose, therefore, to call attention to the plan adopted, and the objections raised to it, and we can assure our readers that it is a subject well worth their earnest attention.

The rules adopted may seem to some who are not acquainted with the abuses which have prevailed in this City, a little cumbersome; but it must be remembered that even all the safeguards which laws, carefully enacted, have thrown around our State elections have failed to secure fair and honest voting, and that to have any sound party organization, it is at least necessary that those who feel an interest in good government should take some trouble, and perhaps suffer some inconvenience. And yet it will be found that the Republican desiring to become a member of the Association need, in fact, devote but a few moments to that purpose. The gentlemen who are charged in the several districts with the supervision of the enrollment have, it is true, a more laborious task, but we trust that the labor involved will not deter such of our citizens as are selected for that business from undertaking it. Gentlemen who are loud in the street, in the Press, and on the platform in denunciation of our rulers, and of the candidates placed before them, have now an opportunity of showing the sincerity of their opinions. They can now secure honest Republican associations, composed of true Republicans and of none others, who will put forward candidates of character and integrity. All that is wanted is that every person selected as an enrolling officer should accept the duty, and that every Republican should apply in person or in writing for enrollment as a member of the association in the district in which he lives. Such an organization as the Union League Club ought, by special effort, to see that every one of its members is so enrolled.

The plan to be pursued is briefly this. In each of the twenty-one Assembly Districts, seven gentlemen are appointed to supervise the enrollment of the Republican voters in that district. They are to meet on three evenings before June 8, and are then to receive applications for enrollment from all who apply claiming to be Republicans and residents in the district. Such application may be, as we presume it ordinarily will be, made in person, or it may be made by the presentation of the name by some third person who vouches for the applicant. All applicants are to sign a pledge, which is in substance that they are and intend to remain Republicans. After the three meetings for the reception of applicants are over, the Enrolling Committee has four days for investigation into the merit of the claims made, and must then transfer from the roll of applicants to the roll of members the names of all persons who are honest Republicans. Having in this manner made up a provisional roll, they are to post it publicly for four days, at the end of which time they are to again meet to revise it, and with such revision the work of the Enrolling Committee in preparing the roll is ended; but from them an appeal lies to Messrs. ORTON and SCHULTZ on the part of any person omitted, or against any person wrongfully enrolled. All names of applicants who are not finally enrolled as members are to be referred to the associations for examination. This scheme seems to us admirably adapted to secure what is desired, namely, an opportunity to every Republican to be enrolled, with a certainty that none but Republicans will be enrolled.

And here is the great and vital difference between this and all former enrollments of Republicans in this City. Heretofore, the question of the right of an applicant to be enrolled has been settled without opportunity for investigation, and without a right of appeal. Practically, every man who chose to claim to be a Republican resident of the district was enrolled unless affirmative evidence was at once produced against him, or unless he did not belong to the faction which happened to have the majority in the Enrolling Board—in which case he was rejected in the face of the clearest evidence, and there was no power of appeal. Now, every opportunity is given for investigation; every undoubted Republican has an absolute right to be enrolled, and the high character of Messrs. ORTON and SCHULTZ gives an assurance that they will, on appeal, not suffer any abuses to go uncorrected. But if in the necessary hurry even of such an enrollment, injustice should be done by the exclusion of any—and at the outset, we trust, if errors are committed, they will be in the admission of too few rather than of too many—the associations are obliged to examine each case carefully, and pass upon it in detail.

After the roll is completed, the members are to meet and elect officers, and when this is done the Central Committee is to be organized. The Enrolling Committees in the several districts are to constitute the inspectors of the first election.

The objections to this plan raised by Messrs. TOUSEY and MANIERRE and their associates are, that Messrs. ORTON and SCHULTZ retain in their own hands the power to fill vacancies; that they allow the names of persons not present to be placed among the applicants; that a right of appeal is allowed, and that it is intended to prepare an uniform fundamental law for the district associations and Central Committee. The criticism about the mode of filling vacancies is childish. The original committees have been carefully selected in such a manner as to give a voice to all classes in each district, and it is to prevent any infringement of this plan that the filling of vacancies is very properly reserved to the gentlemen who make the original appointments. The feature of the plan which allows the names of those who do not personally attend to be presented as applicants for enrollment, seems to us very commendable. Many undoubted Republicans are always absent from the City, or unable from various causes to attend in person at the places of enrollment. It is to give an opportunity to place the names of such persons on the roll that the plan is adopted. Mr. Tammany Police Commissioner MANIERRE and his associates are righteously afraid that this may lead to fraud, and that improper names may be placed on the roll; but as the latter is not only to be publicly posted, but to be printed, and as every accepted applicant must sign a pledge of Republicanism, and as time is allowed for investigation into the right of enrollment, we apprehend there is little real danger of frauds, especially as there is a power of appeal to Messrs. ORTON and SCHULTZ. It will require something more than the insinuations of a Tammany office-holder, or the fears of a political weathercock, to convince the public that WILLIAM ORTON and JACKSON S. SCHULTZ will sanction any fraud. The only other objection urged is that one uniform constitution is to be laid down for the district associations. If the constitution is good, it is certainly no objection that it is applicable to all the associations. When the constitution is prepared, we presume TOUSEY and Company will feel called upon to object to it; but if they can find any good grounds for opposing it, they will consist not in its uniform application, but in its details.

We have left but little space to refer to the names of the gentlemen who have been selected to supervise the carrying out of this plan. In the lower part of the City, where the Republicans are but a handfull in number, it has been necessary to select some persons holding office under the Administration of Gen. GRANT, but the aggregate of such office-holders does not exceed one-fifth of the entire number. Indeed, it is worthy of note, that although beforehand, the proposed reorganization was denounced as solely an office-holders' affair, that objection seems now to be abandoned. At any rate it is clearly untenable. We notice that in nearly or quite every District a representative is given to the German Republicans, while in several the colored Republicans are also recognised. Among the names of well-known citizens we observe those of William M. Evarts, John D. Lawson, Frederick A. Conklin, Erastus C. Benedict, James W. Beekman, Edwards Pierrepont, Albon P. Man, Lewis Francis, Charles C. Pinckney, Isaac Dayton, Hiram Merritt, George W. Blunt, Salem H. Wales, Edgar Ketcham, Charles Watrous, S. B. H. Vance, and others. Some gentlemen appointed have refused to act. The most prominent of these is THOMAS E. STEWART, who declines because he pretends to think that his associates will not act fairly; but it will require some pretty strong evidence to lead any one to believe that such men as ERASTUS C. BENEDICT, JOHN D. LAWSON and FREDERICK A. CONKLIN will act unfairly. Mr. STEWART says he is a firm friend of Gen. GRANT, but he, at the same time, puts forward Mr. TWOMBLY as his political exemplar, apparently ignorant that that gentleman, frank in this as in everything, is an avowed opponent of Gen. GRANT. In another district, Mr. GEORGE P. BRADFORD declines to serve, because he don't think there is any right to reorganize the party; and yet Mr. BRADFORD has, within two or three weeks, in writing, recognized such right, and proposed to submit names for appointment under it. Another gentleman who submitted a fair list of names, which was not accepted, now thinks reorganization a "farce," and still another, now or very recently filling a place under Tammany, has conscientious scruples against dividing the party.

The plain and simple truth is that Tammany Hall sees that the proposed reorganization means destruction to its control of the Republican Party in the City, and that it compels its Police Commissioners and its other hirelings in the Republican Party to denounce and oppose it, and that they carry along with them a few honest, but deluded or prejudiced, men. But there remains the great fact that the proposed plan of reorganization permits every Republican to be enrolled, and excludes all others; that it provides for that greatest of securities against fraud and error—publicity; and that the carrying out of the plan is placed in the hands of gentlemen, against whose character not a word can be truthfully said. Under such circumstances, the reorganization is sure to meet the approval of the Republicans, not only of the City, but of the State and nation.

The Warfare of Classes.

In both hemispheres there are being brought to the front problems of society which threaten sooner or later to supersede existing problems of politics. As a pioneer of this movement among ourselves, WENDELL PHILLIPS may serve as a type; as its best representative in England, we may accept JOHN STUART MILL. On the social aspects of the insurrection of the French Communists, we have already sufficiently enlarged. The coming difficulties of the great Anglo-Saxon nations are the result of forces in some respects identical with those which have convulsed Paris; but they present, nevertheless, features which give them a characteristic individuality. Of the many radical movements which are fast obliterating existing party lines in England, and which will shortly compel an entire change of political front, the most decidedly aggressive is that which relates to the tenure and distribution of land. To appreciate the importance of the change aimed at by the reformers of whom Mr. MILL is the most influential spokesman, it is necessary to bear in mind the immense power of English land-owners as a social caste, the tedious and complicated legal forms which appear to have been designed to obstruct the transfer of land, and the distinction which property in the soil, apart altogether from mere wealth, confers on its possessor. Something less than one in every thousand Englishmen has a share in the ownership of the soil on which he was born, and of the thirty thousand actual proprietors, rather less than one-third own at least two-thirds of the Kingdom. Mr. MILL'S doctrine is that land can be appropriated only by the consent of society, and that society reserves the right of revoking its consent at any time "on giving due compensation to the interests that it has allowed to grow up." The application of this doctrine is thus illustrated by an organ of English radicalism. Suppose an estate which yielded an original rental of $10 now brought an annual return of $200,000. The State need not disturb the owner in his possession of the land, and in his right to enjoy in perpetuity its present annual rental; but if, as a result of the general progress of the country, another $200,000 should accrue to the possessor, it is due of right to the country at large and not to any individual. Once apply principles like these to the existing fabric of English society, and its present foundations will certainly be removed. The reconstructed edifice might be more harmonious in its details; but there can hardly be a doubt that the fall of the old one would carry with it a good many more things than its destroyers intended. It is not very easy to see how a hard and fast line of division could be maintained between property in land and property in any other form. To the average democrat, the distinction would certainly be imperceptible. The "privileged classes" in England understand this pretty thoroughly, and hence the loosening of existing party ties before the advance of this portentous social revolution.

Thanks to our freedom from feudal traditions, to our boundless resources, and to the sound republican foundation on which our social structure has been reared, we have little reason to fear any such coming deluge of Communism as this. If, however, in the enormous industrial expansion that is before us, the minds of our citizens become leavened with the theories of Mr. WENDELL PHILLIPS, we shall hardly escape having to face a movement only less threatening. The resolutions written by the indefatigable agitator for the Boston Labor Reformers are skillfully adapted to enlist the prejudices, and to warp the judgment, of the class to whom they are addressed. What, for instance, could be more transparently opposed to the plainest teachings of political economy than this? "A reduction of the hours of labor will increase wages, and will also cause a corresponding reduction of the future accumulations of the speculative classes, and thus secure a more equal distribution of wealth." Or what in pretentious want of meaning could be devised to exceed this statement? Through the wages channel all of the wealth regularly secured to the masses is distributed, and to increase their share of this wealth their wages must first be increased. "through causes which do not add to the cost of production, (*sic.*) but which will reduce the profits of those who speculate in the result of labor." The man who could put together a farrago of absurdities like this, is clearly incapable of conceiving or reasoning out any intelligible scheme of social readjustment. That he is equally impotent as a destructive force is not quite so clear. Our artisan class is of too composite a character to admit of a very decided estimate of what they might or might not be induced to believe. In the interests of the future relations between capital and labor, and of the social stability which is bound up with them, let us hope that working men have learned to estimate Mr. PHILLIPS and his theories at their proper value.

Woman Suffrage.

The members of the "Woman Suffrage" Convention, at Boston, did a very sensible thing when they resolved to devote themselves in future to missionary labor in behalf of their pet project. They begin to see the necessity of awakening an interest in the movement among women known to their sex as "home bodies," and accordingly, we are told, they propose to "flood the country with tracts, and to send abroad a vast army of women missionaries, to search out converts in the most secluded as well as the most prominent places." Should they succeed in this effort, or should they even meet with partial success, they will be much better prepared to take their stand on the platform, and to go before legislative bodies and demand a redress of their grievances. The great hindrance to the woman suffrage movement heretofore, has been that it had no constituency to back it. There was no demand, or next to none, from those who had a right to make it, for the privileges which the self-constituted champions of the movement asserted were wrongfully withheld. The arguments of the advocates of woman suffrage were sound enough, in the abstract, but in this busy age, when so many real wrongs are waiting for redress, it seemed a waste of time to listen to declamatory speeches about grievances which none but the speakers—who were not always the best examples of their sex—seemed to feel.

If the time should ever come when the great body of the women of America, or even a respectable proportion of them, manifest a desire for the right of suffrage, we venture to say they will find little difficulty in obtaining it. But, until that time arrives, it is simply preposterous for a few speakers to be continually denouncing Legislatures for not giving a loud attention to their claims. Legislatures are supposed to represent the people, and when the people ask for woman suffrage, we may be pretty sure it will be granted. The Massachusetts Legislature, it seems, gave the petitioners for women suffrage "leave to withdraw" their hobby, and this was strangely construed into an insult. It should have been taken as an act of kindness, for it is better to "withdraw" a spavined nag, which has no backers, than to let him run and get distanced in the race. If they are wise, they will not enter him again in the Bay State race-course, or anywhere else, until he has been properly groomed and trained, so as to come back with the popular approval. Let the champions of "woman suffrage," then, go back to the beginning, where they should have started in the first place, and educate the "home bodies" up to a right appreciation of their hobby. If they succeed in making converts of them, which we very much doubt, well and good; they will get all they ask for. If not, then they will be compelled, in fairness, to give up the hobby, and we shall have a little peace.

A Tending Grievance.

The *Zona Libre*, or Free Zone, has been for the last few years a subject of considerable diplomatic negotiation between the United States and Mexico. These negotiations are to be renewed with, it is said in Congressional circles, an intimation to Mexico which will incline that country to consider more favorably the demand of the United States in reference to the Free Zone. The Free Zone is a strip of land on the west or Mexican bank of the Rio Grande, a thousand miles long and six wide, into which all kinds of foreign merchandise are permitted to be introduced duty free, but full duties are collected when shipped to any other portion of Mexico. Under this rule, millions of dollars worth of merchandise are annually landed in the Free Zone, and smuggled into the United States. When this territory was set apart, the Federal Administration protested against the action of the Mexican Congress, as a violation of existing treaty stipulations. Mr. PLUMB, Chargé d'Affaires at the City of Mexico, and Gen. ROSECRANS, United States Minister to the Republic, called attention to the wrong done the United States by the creation of this Zone, and, under instructions, protested in the name of their Government against its longer continuance. But no attention was paid to either protest. Our representatives were treated with the greatest duplicity. The Mexican Minister of Foreign Affairs informed Mr. PLUMB "that the Government had considered, and would continue to occupy itself in considering the subject, with the attention which its importance requires." While the Cabinet was "considering," the Mexican Congress met, and instead of abolishing it extended the Free Zone—a member who voted in favor of the extension, giving as a reason that the Congress "wished to defy the United States." So the matter now stands. No attention has been paid to the protests of the United States, and vast quantities of goods are smuggled across the Texan frontier, and, in addition to the loss of revenue, our Government is compelled to employ a large force of customs officials, at an annual expense of hundreds of thousands of dollars.

The evils of the Free Zone are not, however, confined to this country. The commercial importance of Matamoras has been gained at the expense of all the other ports of the country. Large importing houses have been established in that city, in which foreign goods are sold at European prices, freight and charges added. The merchant of the interior, purchasing goods at Matamoras, has to pay the Mexican tariff before he can ship them out, and from this trade the Mexican Government realizes a large revenue. Blinded by this fact, the Mexican officials do not see the great amount of goods that are smuggled into the interior from other parts of the zone, in spite of an army of inspectors. In time, the Free Zone will destroy the commerce of every port in the Gulf of Mexico, and the free importations which pay duty when passing beyond the zone will not make good the loss of revenue. The State of Tamaulipas, enriched by the Free Zone, will not yield its advantages without a struggle, perhaps an appeal to arms. The people of the ports which now enjoy a part of the commerce will ask the same advantages which their more fortunate rivals possess, and if they are not willingly granted, will try to take them by force. Mexico has thus far been benefited by the establishment of the Free Zone. There are, however, certain concessions which once granted are difficult to annul. The abuses of the Free Zone, which could now be easily remedied, will, if long continued, be removed only at the cost of blood and treasure. Perhaps the Mexican Government, always on the eve of a revolution, fears that the people of Tamaulipas will, if deprived of this right, seek to recover it by force of arms, and for this reason they have not given more attention to the protests of the United States. Mexico has thus created a monopoly which she fears to destroy, and before the matter is settled, she may have reason to wish that the protests of this Government had been treated with greater attention.

Plagues Spots in the City.

As the hot weather grows more intense, it becomes a question of importance to all classes of citizens whether the efforts of those servants of the Ring who are paid for cleaning the streets, are to be confined altogether to a few principal thoroughfares, while the filthiest localities are left to breed a pestilence. In the quarters of the City occupied by tenement-houses and other habitations of the poor, there is the greatest need for the cart of the scavenger, not only on account of the inhabitants themselves, but for the sake of the public health in general. As a rule, the defective structure of these houses, and the lack of good drainage, and the necessary appliances for carrying off accumulations of filth, make the quarters in which they are situated the very hot beds of disease and death. Slops and garbage are thrown into the streets, and the atmosphere reeks with the gases of decaying matter. The inmates of the people themselves become exceedingly slovenly and careless. The habits of the City officials, who ought to see that the streets are clean, are still more slovenly. The very places that most need attention are most neglected. The fierce sun of our sultry days will soon engender in the mass of rottenness thus allowed to accumulate, a pestilence, which will increase the misery of the unfortunate beings who dwell in the poorer districts, and affect the health of the whole community. There seems, moreover, to be no good reason why the garbage of those streets should not be looked to occasionally, and kept in something like decent order. If the poverty-stricken beings that swarm in the lower Wards, could appreciate how completely their welfare is neglected by the very men who draw a large share of political support from their ranks, there would soon be heard the murmurs of discontent that would augur trouble for our present rulers. If a small portion of the money now wasted in the process of remodeling and continually changing our public parks and squares, were spent in keeping other parts of the City in a decent and healthy condition, it would be a great improvement on the present reckless method of using the public funds—one dollar for the public benefit, and five for consolidating the power of the Ring.

MINOR TOPICS.

Gen. KILPATRICK delivered an address at Springfield, Mass., on Wednesday, in which he referred to the possibility of Jeff. DAVIS once more helping to make laws in Congress. "Comrades of Massachusetts," he said—he was speaking to soldiers—"this may come with time; but, by the Eternal God, not if we can prevent it." The recording angel doubtless blotted out with a tear the oath as he registered it. No doubt, Gen. KILPATRICK used strong language—but the crisis may well excuse it. We have Jeff. DAVIS going about through the South sowing sedition, amid the applause of thousands—and if any Southern paper rebukes him, it is only because of his indiscretion in showing his hand so plainly. At the same time, we have Republicans of great name and influence clamoring for "universal amnesty"—a policy which would instantly result in putting Jeff. DAVIS back in the Senate. It is good that some Republicans should be moved to speak out very plainly on the other side of the question. We thought the country had had enough of petting rebels, and playing with fire. It is all nonsense to say that a man like Jeff. DAVIS can do no harm. He did plenty of harm once, and is quite capable of doing it again. As he is, so are nine-tenths of the Southern Democrats—and lukewarm Republicans will do well to keep that fact in mind when they are disposed to carp at their own party.

We have given in another column a clear description of the plan about to be put in force for bringing out the true strength of the Republican Party in this City. The object of this movement is to place the management of the party in the hands of honest Republicans, and remove it from the hirelings of TWEED. This is the simple truth about the matter, and the slip-slop addresses of the Sinclair Tousey Committee cannot blind the public to the fact. That Committee is bent solely on breaking down the Republican organization, and bringing Gen. GRANT into disrepute. Its great card is to play out the name of HORACE GREELEY as associating all its tricks—and no connection which Mr. GREELEY has ever formed is likely to do him so much mischief as this with the Tammany Republicans. Men who wish to assist TWEEDISM, and injure the Republicans, will naturally march with TOUSEY, MANIERRE, and HANK SMITH. Those who desire to see the party cleansed from corruption, and arrayed on the side of good and honest government, will follow the advice of the State Committee.

Another change in the weather—glass falling. The New-York *Herald*, having been industriously beating about for a candidate for the Presidency, and having succeeded in injuring Gen. SHERMAN—very unjustly—now, for the fiftieth time, returns to Gen. GRANT. Jeff. DAVIS, we are told, has secured the President's re-election. So the *Herald* pronounces in favor of GRANT. It does not signify a cent; but lovers of the eccentric in political discussion may be interested in noting the fact that the *Herald* has passed through one more transformation, making exactly 888 in all since the 1st of last April. We give it three days before it trots out another candidate, and assures its intelligent readers that it is all over with Gen. GRANT. This is what some people call "political sagacity."

The Democrats of Ohio have substantially adopted VALLANDIGHAM'S advice. They acknowledge, in a grumbling way, that the three latest amendments to the Constitution have actually been ratified. At the same time they protest against "usurpation," "centralization," &c., &c. The soft-sawder of these Democrats cannot undo the effect of Jeff. DAVIS' speeches at the South, nor blind the public to the meaning of the enthusiastic applause with which these speeches have everywhere been received. The Southern Democrats will have none of the Ohio platform. They want the "Lost Cause" revived, and Jeff. DAVIS is the only man for their money.

MR. DAVID DUDLEY FIELD is so very anxious that his reputation should not suffer abroad by his connection with BARNARD and FISK, that he sometimes neglects to take proper care of it at home. He has addressed long and urgent letters to the editors of influential foreign papers making most serious and flattering misrepresentations to account for the unfavorable views on his conduct by the Press of this country. But at length he contents himself with publishing an opinion favorable to his innocence from Mr. GEORGE TICKNOR CURTIS, the exact value of which is very clearly stated in a paragraph quoted in another column from the *Nation*. Whitewash of this kind, Mr. FIELD will allow us to suggest, will only deepen the stains by which his character is defaced. In the meanwhile, the preliminaries for a thorough investigation of his case before the Bar Association are progressing, and he will have a chance of seeing, at that tribunal, these if it is possible still far less favorable expressions of disgraceful conduct at the Bell meeting than Bench, as soothing as that which Messrs. FIELD & BARNARD directed toward Judge BARNARD through the *North American Review*, without its being in the power of the guilty parties to silence them by retainers.

Secretary BOUTWELL'S report for the month of May sets forth that the balance of the public debt, less cash in the Treasury on June 1, was $2,380,134,151 61, showing a reduction during the past month of $5,430,359 81. The reduction for April was upward of six millions, and for May, 1870, upward of fourteen millions, so that the month just closed compares unfavorably either with the predecessor or with the corresponding month of last year. A discussion in Congress respecting, whether from the present depressed state of nearly all branches of trade, will be found to be the main cause of this falling off.

That the leading organs of French opinion should have begun to discuss the form of Government most suitable for their country is significant of a considerable weakening of the republican sentiment at Paris. Hitherto, the establishment of popular institutions was considered as being placed above dispute, and the partisans of Paris assailed the Communes for presuming to defend the Republic, which nobody had attempted. It is clear that the treaties of Versailles are far from being sealed yet. The National Assembly of Paris are not alone in their readiness to flock for a party cry. The strife of the factions may yet prove as dire a calamity to France as the revolt of the Commune. On quarring at a juncture like the present, the reappearance of JULES FAVRE is like an unfortunate augury for the permanence of the Republic.

At the quarterly meeting of the "Hicksite Friends," commonly called "Quakers," yesterday morning, a long report was read from the Executive Committee having charge of the relations of the Society to Indian affairs. It is quite clear from this report, that President GRANT, in reposing in the hands of Quakers a portion of the Indian Agencies, made a long step in the right direction. The efforts of the agents have awakened in the Indians a sense of the advantages and duties of civilized life. They have supplied schools, taught industrial arts, especially agriculture, directed the labors and protected the interests of the Indians with fidelity, and generally with intelligence. But their greatest service has been in convincing the Indians that while justice to and by them would be insisted on and applied, that while crimes against them would be victimally guarded against and promptly punished, it was their duty and their interest to expose and surrender those of their own number who were guilty of wrong to the whites. Among the novel results of this course have been, with the Winnebagoes, the institution of an Indian Police, the surrender by them of accused parties, the successful deposition of chiefs opposed to civilization and their replacement by more progressive ones, and the voluntary assumption by many of the young men of the costume and customs of the whites. The agents have been aided by the generous contributions of the Quaker Society in clothing, food, implements, and clearn and books for object-teaching to the schools. Altogether, it is an exceedingly good and promising work.

One of the most marked effects of the recent storm which burst upon the banks of the Upper Hudson, is the surprising confusion it created in the minds of observers relative to the size of the hail-stones. One gentleman reports them as precisely four and one-half inches in circumference. Another ventured the safe generalization that they were the "size of nuts"—whether walnuts or hickory-nuts, we were not informed. A third enthusiastically described them as being "as big as a boy's hat,"—why not of a complete boy, while he was at it? This correspondent added that "he had never seen anything like it in his life"—or anybody else. The human mind appears to have a constitutional propensity to exaggerate the size of hail-stones. In the meantime, if the hail has given us the present cool spell, we hope it will come again.

We publish elsewhere a highly-important series of affidavits bearing upon the Methodist Book Concern case. Dr. LANAHAN, it will be observed, makes sundry grave accusations against the financial administration of the Book Concern. Special prominence is given to an alleged discrepancy between the average monthly balance statement as given from the books of the National Shoe and Leather Bank, and as obtained from the books held by Dr. CARLTON. Affidavits from a responsible accountant, and from two assistants formerly employed by the bank, are rendered in support of this allegation, and altogether the latest phase of this interminable case seems more significant of further revelations than of an early settlement.

The Reception of the Allegheny Commandery, Knights Templars, Today.

The Allegheny Commandery of Knights Templars will arrive in this City today, en route to Europe, and will be escorted from Philadelphia here by about 200 Sir Knights. They will leave in the steamer *Oceanic* on Saturday. They will be received here by the Sir Knights of this City. Subjoined are the general orders which have been issued. It promises to be one of the most imposing displays ever witnessed in this City. The City will probably be over 1,000 Sir Knights in line, in full uniform, and three bands of music.

GENERAL ORDERS.—The Sir Knights of New-York, Brooklyn and visiting Sir Knights will assemble at Odd-Fellows Hall, Grand Opera House, corner of 23d-st. and 8th-av., on Friday, June 2, 1871, at 1 P. M., (sharp,) and report to the commanding officer, and will with the band proceed to the foot of Cortlandt-street, by Knights will be equipped in full uniform (black hats, &c., &c., &c., to appear in fatigue caps may do so.) After the reception of the visiting Sir Knights the line of march will be up Broadway to Fourteenth-st., up Fourth-avenue, to Grand, up Grand to Broadway, to St. Nicholas Hotel, where the Sir Knights will be dismissed. (The line of march may be changed as may be deemed advisable by the commanding officer.) The line will be formed as follows, viz.: Sir Knight Gen. SAMUEL RAMSDEN, Grand Commander of the State of New-York, (the representatives of the Grand Commandery of Knights will precede the Grand Commandery and Grand Officers.) The Grand Standard Bearer will be allowed in the line, whereby the several Commanderies may be known or distinguished. The Council officers will form in the rear of the Grand Officers, and Junior Wardens carrying as guides. Present and Past Grand Officers and Commanders not assigned to special duty will assemble in one division and proceed to the visiting Sir Knights. Orders for the escort on Saturday, June 3, 1871, will be promulgated when the hour of the departure of the Sir Knights is known.

By order of
M. E. SIR CHAS. ROOME,
Chairman Committee Arrangements.

N. B.—It is earnestly requested that every Sir Knight will participate in the reception.

THE COAL TRAGEDY.

The Second Jury Only Make Matters Worse.

Inspector Williams Fails to Exculpate Himself—Popular Indignation Increasing—He Leaves Town to Escape Lynching.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

SCRANTON, Penn., June 1.—Mine Inspector T. W. WILLIAMS was advised late last night by Mr. GAINES, one of the jurors of the second inquest, (the one of WILLIAMS' own calling,) to discharge the jury assembled and proceed no further with the attempt to vindicate himself, as further investigation would only make the matter worse. It has become apparent to the man WILLIAMS that it is impossible to exculpate himself from blame, in connection with the West Pittston disaster, and he has left Pittston for his home in Williamsburg. What action will be taken on his case has not yet transpired. Public opinion is very much in favor of severely punishing him, and it is thought that had he longer remained in Pittston he would have been lynched at once, and hanged in the public streets. This probably hastened his departure from the town. No more deaths have occurred among the surviving victims, and they are all out of danger.

POLITICAL.

The Tammany Republican Re-Enrollment Ordered in the Eleventh District.

The Tammany Republican General Committee met at their head-quarters, corner of Fifth-avenue and Twenty-second-street, last evening, Mr. SINCLAIRE TOUSEY presided.

The report condemning the late State Legislature, already printed, was adopted. The address in response to the action of the Union Committee was also adopted. Gen. COCHRANE, Chairman of the Special Committee appointed to investigate the charges preferred against certain District Associations and their Presidents, read a report of the result of the investigation, concluding with resolutions directing the re-enrollment of the Republicans of the Eleventh Assembly District, under the direction of three Inspectors, on June 7 and 8, and prescribing as follows:

4. Resolved, That the Republicans who support the present Federal Administration, (and who recognize the authority of the General Committee as constituted under the Charter adopted by the Legislature of the City of New-York,) and who are actually residents in the district, be entitled to enroll. Challenges to be allowed of those offering themselves for re-enrollment.

At the conclusion of the report Mr. SINCLAIRE TOUSEY left the chair, Gen. COCHRANE being taken by Hon. THOS. E. STEWART. Mr. TOUSEY said that the Committee could not afford to erect any such wall to keep out Republicans, as the fourth section of the resolutions read by Gen. COCHRANE, and he moved to strike out the words "and who recognize the authority of this General Committee as constituted by the Legislature of the City of New-York." He said that if it was adopted it might prove suicidal.

Gen. COCHRANE said that in order to reconcile any difference of opinion which might prevail in the meeting he would move to strike the last clause of the sixteenth section. Mr. TOUSEY's suggestion was finally consented to by the Special Committee.

Mr. DANIEL D. T. COZZENS proposed to have the election calling for the re-enrollment of the Eleventh District stricken out, and the words "provided by the rules" inserted in their stead. He said that re-enrollment in the district would virtually disband the present Association, and that the delegates to the General Committee and the officers of the Association would be deprived of their seats.

Gen. COCHRANE said that the report of the investigating committee appointed would be made at the July meeting of the General Committee, and that the latter body would then decide whether the officers and delegates of the present Association should remain in their seats. The motion was disposed of by a new motion offered by Gen. COCHRANE to the effect that all the officers of the Association should remain in their places until the further action of the General Committee. The substitute was adopted. The report of the Special Committee was then accepted and the resolutions adopted.

It was resolved to tender Hon. HORACE GREELEY a serenade on his return to this City, and it was decided to have the district organizations hold meetings on the evening of the 8th of June to permit Republicans to add their names to the roll. Messrs. OWEN KELLY, MORTIMER C. TERRETT, R. RICHARDSON and Jos. B. POLLOCK as the inspectors for the enrollment in the Eleventh District. The meeting then adjourned.

A Republican Mumbo.

Mr. GEO. P. BRADFORD, in a communication to the *Tribune* of yesterday, declines the appointment conferred upon him by Messrs. ORTON and SCHULTZ, of one of the Committee on Enrollment in the Seventeenth District, and says:

"I believe that the attempt to reorganize (?) the Republican Party of this City is done solely at the instigation of office-holders, and in opposition to the will of the people. I still adhere to the regular and only authorized organization of the party, believing that the State Convention alone has the power to reorganize."

How long this has been Mr. BRADFORD's "belief" and position will appear from the annexed copy of a letter from him to one of the gentlemen whose power to set he now denies:

NO. 632 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, April 28, 1871.

Mr. J. L. Schultz:

DEAR SIR: You are appointed to represent the 4th of the 7 Associations of the Republican Party now organized in conjunction with Mr. ORTON, who represents the contesting party, to select six men from each Assembly District, three each. As I am the President of the Seventeenth Assembly District Union Republican Association, I shall be pleased—if agreeable to your views—to meet several members of your committee for those positions. Awaiting your convenience, I am yours respectfully,

GEO. P. BRADFORD.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, May 31, 1871.

The Attempt to Whitewash Mr. David Dudley Field.

From the Nation, June 1.

Mr. GEORGE TICKNOR CURTIS has done a very discreditable thing, which we were very desirous not to notice, but which we are forced to notice, by the publicity given to it by himself and his ill-advised friends. He has taken a fee from one of the parties in the Barlow-Field controversy for an opinion on its merits, a transaction to which there is no sort of objection. Nor is there any objection to his going to work, as he has done, and examining the case strictly *as parte*, and under the influence of the bias in favor of one of the parties which an advocate naturally feels toward the persons who pay and employ him. But when he places the opinion thus formed before the world as the judicial finding of an old and experienced lawyer and philosopher upon a matter of great public interest, he does something which honest men would not forgive a very young and foolish lawyer for doing, and which, in Mr. CURTIS' case, merits more reprobation than we fear it will receive. The controversy which Mr. CURTIS has given judgment on turns almost entirely on the question whether Judge GEO. G. BARNARD is a corrupt Judge, and whether Messrs. D. D. FIELD and T. G. SHEARMAN know or believe him to be corrupt. They do believe him to be corrupt, and have both done good service in trying to expose and bring him to justice; and their opinion is shared, and Mr. GEORGE TICKNOR CURTIS knows it is shared, by the vast majority of the bar of New-York. Nevertheless, in the pamphlet before us he has the audacity—we cannot use a milder word—to pretend that BARNARD's corruption is not a thing to be even imagined, an assumption not to be entertained or even inquired into. Upon the point where Judge BARNARD signed the shameless order appointing JAMES FISK, the most notorious rogue in the State, receiver of the property of a great corporation, which the Judge left his mother's estate bound to sign (on the request of COLEMAN, the man whom he afterward, on FISK's motion, appointed receiver of the stolen shares of ERIE and RAPHAEL)—and which, there is good reason to believe, he signed either in the house of FISK's mistress or did not sign at all—where does the reader suppose Mr. CURTIS went for information? Why, to Judge GEORGE G. BARNARD himself. And where does the reader suppose the learned Judge told the innocent lawyer he signed it? Why, in a "real estate office," near which he happened to meet Mr. FISK's clerk in the street, after 10 o'clock at night. Mr. CURTIS' opinion—as we shall show more at length when we get time, especially if there are not speedy signs that he feels thoroughly ashamed of it—is, in fact, one of the least reputable pieces of whitewashing we have seen for some time; and we find a strong sequel to it, which may serve to explain to country readers the system by which the stream of justice in this City is befouled, and the Bar debauched and muzzled, in the following from the law reports of the New-York *Tribune*, the official paper of the City Government, of May 31:

"Before BARNARD, J.—JOHNSTON vs. The Kansas Pacific Railroad Company. Referred to Hon. GEORGE T. CURTIS, to hear and determine."

FROM POVERTY TO SPLENDOR.

A Grand Wedding.

A morning paper which is reported to be a sort of semi-official organ of the Ring, published, yesterday, a description, occupying two columns, of the grand ceremonies at the wedding of a member of Boss TWEED's family, on Wednesday night. As this description is probably "published by desire," we quote the following passages from it. They serve to illustrate the advantages of being a Boss:

"The aisles along the floor were crowded with fashionable ladies and gay gentlemen

THE BUILDING RECORD.

Proposed New Buildings.

The following is the list of new buildings proposed for erection in this City since the last report and for the week ending Thursday, June 1, 1871. The report is an official one from plans filed at the office of JAMES M. MACGREGOR, Superintendent of the Department of Buildings:

BROWN STONE FRONTS.

Five first-class dwellings, south-west corner of Fifty-fourth-street and Fourth-avenue, three stories, 20 by 50; N. L. DESMARET, owner.

Two first-class dwellings, south side of One Hundred and Sixteenth-street, 250 feet west of Second-avenue, three stories, 18.5 by 50; CHARLOTTE KEYES, owner.

Two first-class dwellings, north side of Sixty-second-street, 125 feet east of Madison-avenue, four stories, 20 by 68; S. STEINHARDT, owner.

Two first-class dwellings, south side of Forty-third-street, 250 feet west of Broadway, four stories, 20.7 by 48; W. BUSHAN, owner.

One first-class dwelling, south side of Fifty-third-street, 75 feet east of Sixth-avenue, four stories 20 by 34; WILLIAM SLOAN, owner.

One first-class dwelling, north side of Seventy-ninth-street, 300 feet east of Third-avenue, four stories, 25 by 53.2; JEREMIAH LEARY, owner.

One first-class dwelling, north side of One Hundred and Sixteenth-street, 300 feet west of Second-avenue, three stories, 20 by 45; CHARLOTTE KEYS, owner.

Two second-class dwellings, west side of Fourth-avenue, 20 feet south of Fifty-fourth-street, four stories, 20 by 60; M. L. DESMARET, owner.

One second-class dwelling, north-west corner of Sixth-avenue and Thirtieth-street, four stories, 20 by 42; F. P. JAMES, owner.

One second-class dwelling, south side of One Hundred and Twenty-second-street, 325 feet west of Second-avenue, three stories, 20 by 45; MARY ANN BROADBENT, owner.

Five stores and tenements, south-east corner of Fifty-second-street and Third-street, four stories, 20 by 75; WM. SLOANE, owner.

One store and tenement, No. 666 Eighth-avenue, five stories, 25 by 60; W. GUINEVARD, owner.

Two stables, north side of Sixty-second-street, 143 feet east of Madison-avenue, two stories, 18.5 by 65; S. STEINHARDT, owner.

IRON FRONTS.

One first-class store, south-west corner of Sixth-avenue and Twenty-third-street, five stories, 25 by 60; WM. MOIR, owner.

One first-class store, north-east corner of Leonard and Benson streets, six stories, 42.5 by 81; E. S. JAFFRAY & CO., owners.

BRICK FRONTS.

One first-class dwelling, south side of West Tenth-street, 90 feet east of West Fourth-street; DR. SAMUEL HALL, owner.

One first-class dwelling, north side of Fortieth-street, 100 feet west of Madison-avenue, three stories, 25 by 60; GEORGE B. NIXON, owner.

One second-class dwelling, No. 115 West Thirteenth-street, three stores, 24 by 37; THOMAS KIERNAN, owner.

Two tenement-houses, north side of Fifty-ninth-street, 60 feet west of Eleventh-avenue, four stories, 20 by 35.5; ADRESED SCHULTS, owner.

Two tenement-houses, south side of Thirty-ninth-street, 225 feet west of First-avenue, five stories, 35 by 60; OBADIAH AYRES, owner.

Two tenement-houses, south side of Gansevoort-street, 75 feet east of West-street; JOHN B. CORNELL, owner.

Two tenement-houses, Nos. 237 and 239 East Thirty-fourth-street, five stories, 25 by 60; M. CULLON, owner.

Ten stores and tenements, west side of Tenth-avenue, from Fifty-fifth to Fifty-sixth streets, four stories, 20 by 60; MORRIS POSNANSKI, owner.

Four stores and tenements, north-east corner of Hudson and Christopher streets, four stories, 21.6 and 24.6 by 49.7; LINK & BROTHER, owners.

Two stores and tenements, east side of Hudson-street, 55 feet south of West Eleventh-street, four stories, 19.3 by 60; J. BOHDE, owner.

One store and tenement, No. 339 West Thirty-eighth-street, four stories, 25 by 55; J. & J. STORRS, owners.

One store and tenement, No. 60 Essex-street, five stories, 25 by 60; L. BOHNE, owner.

One store and tenement, No. 688 Ninth-avenue, four stories, 22 by 65; PETER SCHEMER, owner.

One store and tenement, No. 134 West Twenty-eighth-street, five stories, 25 by 66.6; C. H. EMMONS, owner.

One store and tenement, east side of Seventh-avenue, 80 feet north of Fifty-third-street, five stories, 25 by 60; SAMUEL COGHRAN, owner.

One store and tenement, south side of Thirty-eighth-street, 150 feet east of Ninth-avenue, four stories, 25 by 62; J. BRANDENSTEIN, owner.

One store and tenement, south side of Seventeenth-street, 200 feet west of Avenue C, five stories, 25 by 60; FREDERICK SCHENCK, owner.

One tenement-house, north side of Fifty-second-street, 325 feet east of Ninth-avenue, four stories, 20 by 63; WM. WELLINGTON, owner.

One tenement-house, No. 419 Eighth-avenue, four stories, 21 by 60; PETER A. and C. SACKSON, owners; unsafe and broken stone lintels.

Canal-street, No. 274, PATRICK DICKIE, owner; unsafe window breasts and gutter.

Mysterious Disappearance in New-Jersey.

A miller residing in Farmingdale, N. J., named HENDRICK LAYTON, left his home the 23d of last month, since which time nothing has been heard of him. On the above date he started from home, intending to visit this City on business, and carried considerable money on his person. His relatives and friends are of the opinion that he has been foully dealt with. They visited Superintendent KELSO yesterday, and by his directions visited the Morgue, but failed to identify his body. Mr. LAYTON'S disappearance has created great excitement in Farmingdale, and the neighborhood has been thoroughly searched by his friends. He was a man of steady habits, and by his enterprise accumulated considerable property. He was a widower and leaves three children to mourn his loss.

DARING OUTRAGE.

The Latest Exploit of Two Sing Sing Birds—A Boy that Will be a Good Citizen.

At 2:35 o'clock yesterday morning, Officer HAGGERTT of the Twenty-first Precinct, observed a carriage driving rapidly through Thirty-second-street, between Third and Fourth avenues, followed by a boy who was shouting for help. The officer asked what was the matter and the boy, whose name is MICHAEL O'HARA, aged sixteen years, residing at No. 305 West Thirty-ninth-street, breathlessly told him that the men in the carriage had murdered and robbed a man on the west side of the City. HAGGERTT stopped the carriage and took out PHILIP BRODERICK, a car driver residing at No. —, 7th-avenue, Seventh-avenue, DENIS HOGAN, a porter, No. 233 East Forty-fifth-street, and JAMES KEARNEY, the driver of the carriage, who was lying inside in a state of intoxication. The carriage was being driven by JAMES FARLEY, a laborer, residing at No. 253 West Thirty-ninth-street, whom the officer also arrested. The party were taken to the Twenty-first Precinct station-house, and locked up till the charge made against them by the boy O'HARA could be investigated. Capt. BYRNES and two officers in company with the boy, went to Thirtieth-street and Sixth-avenue, where the latter said the desperate outrage had been committed. They there found LOUIS CROFT sitting on the sidewalk, unable to stand. He stated that he had been struck with a sand-bag from behind by a man who jumped out of a carriage, and also had been robbed of $120. The Captain and officers conveyed him to the Station-house, where he fully identified Farley as the man who had struck him. The prisoners were arraigned in the Yorkville Police Court, yesterday, before Justice BIXBY. BRODERICK, FARLEY and HOGAN were committed without bail to answer at the General Sessions, and KEARNEY, the driver of the coach, was sent to the House of Detention as a witness. He was so drunk at the time the crime was committed that he could scarcely have had any hand in it, but he may be useful as a witness. FARLEY, not more than a couple of weeks ago, returned from Sing Sing, where he was imprisoned for grand larceny. BRODERICK, about ten days ago, was arrested by Capt. BYRNES on a charge of burglary, but was discharged for want of evidence. HOGAN is also a notoriously bad character. Mr. CROFT, on whom the outrage was perpetrated, is a driver of a Brevoort House coach, residing at No. 307 Seventh-avenue, and was returning from work at the time. The complaints in the case were sent down to the District-Attorney's office.

Probable Murder in Newark.

On the 15th of May, FELIX LEONHARDT, accompanied by one SEITS went to the house of his father, at Kinney and Sayre streets, Newark, and attacked both his father and step-mother, stabbing the former in the head and violently kicking the latter. The assailants were arrested and bailed for trial. Mrs. LEONHARDT, who was brutally kicked in the stomach and elsewhere, was in such a condition as to render her injuries especially dangerous, and has been growing steadily worse. The physician in attendance finding her in a dying condition, notified the authorities. Yesterday the two men were rearrested and held to await the result.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The attendance at the Exchange yesterday (June 1) was quite large, although no public sales of real estate were effected. The only business transacted was an adjournment for two weeks, announced by E. H. LUDLOW & Co., of the legal sale of house and lot on Forty-fourth-street, near Broadway, and the further announcement by the same firm that the suit involving the title to fifteen lots on the south-east corner of Fifth-avenue and One Hundred and Fifteenth-street had been settled, the property having been sold at private sale. In regard to the auction sale of lots at Whitestone, Long Island, conducted by A. J. BLEECKER, SON & Co., yesterday, we hope to be able to-morrow to chronicle a favorable result. The day was all that could have been wished for, and a goodly number of buyers and others availed themselves of the facilities furnished per excursion train to be present at the sale. The remainder of the week business at the Exchange will be light, as only two sales of City real estate, both of a legal nature, are noticed to take place. Three will be held today. For to-morrow three suburban auctions are advertised, respectively at Mamaroneck, Westchester County, at Bayonne, N. J., and at Tottenville, Staten Island—sales not extensive, but still all worthy attention. The business projected for next week however, is of special importance, particularly the sale of the Dyckman estate, to be held at the Exchange on Wednesday, June 7. In reference to this proposed auction opinions vary, but it seems to be generally conceded that the transaction will be attended with success. The market, at present, is in a very healthy condition, much stronger than usual at this season of the year, and up-town lots remarkably active. In view of these facts, certainly no better time than now could have been selected to dispose of this really valuable tract of land.

In reference to the suburban sales of Wednesday, as expected, the storm materially interfered with the arrangements of the auctioneers in charge in disposing of the property offered, and in consequence thereof the sale of twenty villa plots at Mount Vernon, Westchester County, under the direction of S. DINGEE & Co., was adjourned until Tuesday next, June 6. The Richmond Park auction, at New-Dorp, Staten Island, was, however, carried through by JOHNSON & MILLER, notwithstanding the weather, the greater portion of the lots being sold under a shelter tent. The property offered embraced some 350 lots, each 25 by 100, lying on the Richmond road, at the New-Dorp Station of the Staten Island Railway, about five miles from Vanderbilt Landing. The attendance at the auction was large, and of the lots 300 were sold, at an average price of $75 per lot. No lot was sold for less than $60, and some brought as high as $125. The aggregate of the sale reached $25,500, which result was a satisfactory one. Full details of sale appended. The following were the principal purchasers: Patrick Burke and J. Huntzler, of this City; J. M. Hildreth, of Brooklyn; Henry Taylor, of Richmond, Staten Island; John Stewart, of Stapleton, and John Dolan and John Hennessy, of New-Dorp.

A report having been circulated that the re-sale of property at Rutherford Park, N. J., by A. D. MELLICK, Jr., & BROTHER, were not as successful as has been represented. We are authorized by the firm to state that all lots reported sold as per lists published were so sold to bona fide purchasers at the prices named, and that the said purchasers have complied with the terms of sale in paying the percentage on their purchases, as required thereby. In this connection attention is called to the card published by Messrs. MELLICK & CO. in another column.

HOLMES & WHITE, real estate brokers at Tarrytown, report having recently sold, at private sale, 100 feet of unimproved ground on Broadway, Tarrytown, 160 feet front, and running west through to Washington-street 520 feet, for $27,000. Sold for HIRAM W. DIXON to LEWIS ROBERTS.

Suburban Sales—Wednesday, May 31.

RICHMOND PARK, NEW-DORP, STATEN ISLAND.

By Johnson & Miller.

(Lots each 25x100.)

4 lots, block F, Nos. 117 to 120, Lewis-st. and Stuyvesant-st., each $70	$280
4 lots, block F, Nos. 110 to 114, Lewis-st. and Tully-st., each $70	280
5 lots, block F, Nos. 102 to 108, Stuyvesant-st., each $65	325
4 lots, block F, Nos. 121 to 124, Lewis-st., each $65	260
6 lots, block F, Nos. 106 to 115, Tully-st., each $65	390
4 lots, block E, Nos. 39 to 42, Lewis-st. and Richmond-st., each $80	320
4 lots, block E, Nos. 44, 45, 46 and 50, Richmond road, each $85	340
4 lots, block E, Nos. 52, 54, 55 and 56, Richmond road, each $80	320
2 lots, block E, Nos. 60 and 61, Richmond road, each $85	170
4 lots, block E, Nos. 63, 64, 65 and 66, Richmond road, each $100	400
4 lots, block E, Nos. 36 to 39, Stuyvesant and Lewis sts., each $100	400
14 lots, block E, Nos. 42, 43, 47, 48, 51, 53, 57, 58 to 70, inclusive, each $100	1,400
4 lots, block E, Nos. 125 to 128, Stuyvesant-st., each $75	300
12 lots, block C, Nos. 123 to 130, Tully and Stuyvesant sts., each $75	2,250
4 lots, block C, Nos. 139 to 202, Tully and Lewis sts., each $70	280
4 lots, block H, Nos. 204, 208, 210 and 212 Tully-st., each $60	240
32 lots, block H, remainder of block, Underhill and Tully sts., each $60	1,920
11 lots, block F, Nos. 167 to 180, Tully and Lewis sts., each $75	825
4 lots, block C, Nos. 27 to 30, Richmond road and Lewis-st., each $125	500
1 lot, block C, No. 26, Richmond road	110
20 lots, block C, Nos. 1 to 12 and 31 to 38, Richmond road, each $110	2,200
31 lots, block A, Nos. 71 to 101, Richmond road, each $100	3,100
4 lots, block D, Nos. 101 to 104, Goddard-st., each $75	300
2 lots block D, Nos. 170 and 172, Stuyvesant-st., each $65	130
3 lots, block D, Nos. 174 to 176, Stuyvesant-st., each $70	140
20 lots, block D, Nos. 165 to 175, Stuyvesant-st., each $70	1,400
4 lots, block G, Nos. 234 to 237, Goddard and Tully sts., each $70	280
4 lots, block L, Nos. 266 to 269 Underhill and Barry sts., each $50	200
15 lots block L, Nos. 270 to 278, 236 to 235, Underhill and Barry sts., each $50	750
4 lots, block K, Nos. 274 to 277, Underhill and Barry sts., each $51	204
23 lots, block K, Nos. 278 to 810, Underhill and Vanderbilt sts., each $61	1,563

CITY REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—AN ELEgant four-story high-stoop brown-stone house on 16th-st., between 6th and 7th-aves. Possession at once; in perfect order; possession at once; price, with standing furniture, $32,000. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—EIGHT LOTS ON 79TH AND 80th sts., between 6th and Madison-aves., excavated foundations partly laid. Apply to MULLER, WILKINS & CO., No. 7 Pine-st., or No. 52 East 17th-st., Union-square.

FOR SALE—FOUR VERY DESIRABLE 2-mill lots of ground, situated on 84th and 85th sts., 325 feet west of 6th-av.; no rock. Apply to THEO. DORE WESTON, No. 120 Broadway, Equitable Assurance Building.

WANTED TO PURCHASE ON THE west side, between 7th-st. and 110th-st., a large plot of lots, or several smaller ones, with good frontages on any of the avenues. PRINCE G. & DAVIDSON BROWN, No. 160 Broadway.

FOR SALE—VALUABLE PROPERTY IN the Eighth Ward, with store and dwelling, yielding a large income. Apply to MULLER, WILKINS & CO., No. 7 Pine-st.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

A CARD.

OFFICE OF

A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO.,

AUCTIONEERS AND DEALERS IN

NEW-JERSEY REAL ESTATE,

NO. 6 PINE-ST., NEW-YORK.

JUNE 1, 1871.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Our attention has been called to an article that appeared in the Brooklyn *Eagle* of last evening which does great injustice to both our firm and the property sold at Rutherford Park on Wednesday last.

The article states that the property was a "wilderness" a long distance from the station, in fact a "barren waste, full of stumps of trees, without grass or foliage of any kind," and that "but few houses have been built." The article further states that we took out "a crowd of roughs," that we gave them nothing to drink but water, that the bidding was brisk by interested parties and that the first four lots were bought in.

All of the above we deny *in toto*, excepting the ice-water charge, which we consider rather to be commended than otherwise. Probably if the *Eagle* reporter had been given something other than water to drink, he would have been better pleased with both the property and the auctioneers.

The company present was not composed of roughs, but of as respectable people as ever attended a suburban sale. The distance walked consumed but eight minutes in time over a good plank walk. The property was choice in every particular and very well improved in the immediate vicinity of the residences of such men as Mr. Ivison, of the publishing house of Ivison & Phinney, Geo. E. Woodward, the architect, Henry G. Bell, a prominent boot and shoe merchant, E. W. Thompson, of the New-York *Observer*, whose residence cost some forty thousand dollars, Geo. Dayton, of Front-st., H. A. Baker, W. J. Stewart and many other prominent New-York business men, who would hardly choose to locate their homes in a "wilderness."

Our two sales have been attended with the great success that the property merited. At the first sale, held on the 16th inst., nearly 300 city lots were disposed of, all but some fourteen of which have been settled for, as our books will show. Our second sale was equally successful, all the property being sold that was possible between the hours of 1 and 5½, and when the sale was closed some of the parties present urged that more lots should be offered. The first four lots knocked down on Tuesday were not *bought in*, but were purchased by Mr. W. B. Miner, a merchant of No. 71 Front-st., a gentleman that had never been to Rutherford Park before, was not interested in the property and had no acquaintance with either the owners or auctioneers. Mr. Miner was among the first that called on Wednesday morning to settle for his lots. In justice to the owners of the property we feel obliged to make this reply to the false article in question. Respectfully,

A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO.

BEAUTIFUL RESIDENCE FOR SALE OR RENT.—From one to five acres land, within five minutes' walk of depot, at Linden Station, New-Jersey, on New-Jersey Railroad, seventeen miles from New-York, two miles beyond Elizabeth; grounds finely shaded and well stocked with choice fruit; splendid living brook running through the same; large house, with ten rooms; will be sold or rented low, with immediate possession; commutation from New-York same as from Elizabeth. Further particulars by applying to H. P. SIMMONS, No. 469 Greenwich-st., New-York, or to FRANKLIN POST, at the Linden Hotel, near the property.

FOR SALE AT MARSHLAND, STATEN Island.—A four-feed and grist mill; saw and planing mill attached; calculated to do all kinds of business driven by water and steam powers; lumber and coal yard attached; in good business; from which 1,200 tons of coal alone was sold last year; situated in a flourishing portion of the island, where extensive improvements are going on, and where the business can be greatly increased; building materials of every description, including rafts of timber and coal, can be brought by water; terms easy. Apply to J. F. JESSUP & SONS, on premises.

ELIZABETH, N. J.—FOR SALE—$3,000, part cash, balance can remain on bond and mortgage, a three-story high-stoop gas throughout parlor 14 by 21 feet, dining-room 13 by 15, kitchen with well and cistern water, three large bedrooms and hall bedrooms upstairs; good garret and cellar; eight minutes' walk from depot, and near Broad-st. For further particulars apply to J. M. MERRELL, No. 226 Broad-st., Elizabeth, N. J., or address HOME, Box No. 101 *Times* Office.

FOR SALE—AT WOODSBURG, LONG ISland, (the Summer resort of Long Island,) lots 25x100, or plots, at moderate prices and on liberal terms; parties desiring to locate for the Summer months to build cottages for their own occupation are invited to examine this pleasant and desirable location; only sixteen miles from Brooklyn by South-side Railroad. Maps and full particulars of W. V. KOFF & LITTLE, No. 203 Montague-st., Brooklyn.

FOR SALE—A VERY DESIRABLE HOUSE and lot, in a thriving town on the bay. Twenty-five miles from the City; house two-story and basement, and nearly new. Lot 45x100 feet, with a variety of fruit and flowers; location splendid, with beautiful water of the bay. For full particulars, call on or address the owner, GEORGE MACKEY, No. 29 John-st.

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An old-fashioned house, plainly furnished, with suitable out-buildings, fruit, flowers and fine shade trees. Two and a half hours from New-York by Hudson River Railroad. Rent, $200 a month.

This is a delightful Summer residence in a very fine neighborhood. Inquire of

HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

TO RENT FURNISHED—AT THROGG'S Neck, Westchester County, for this season or longer, an elegant residence, consisting of commodious house of seventeen rooms, with modern improvements; also, barn, carriage-house, &c., with five acres of ground, including vegetable garden, (already planted,) abundance of fruit and shade trees, cow and chickens now on the premises will be included; three-quarters of an hour from the City, and very accessible by steam-boat or railroad.

W. W. GODDARD, Broadway, corner 12th-st.

TO LET—SEVENTY MINUTES FROM CITY Hall, a pleasant house, thirteen rooms, ten acres of land, barn, &c., at Flushing; high ground; healthy; good water; twenty-two trains a day each way; for a year or longer unfurnished, or for the Summer furnished; also, with above, or separately, about forty acres of excellent farm land adjacent. Rent low.

F. B. ELLIOTT, No. 4 Hanover-st.

MONTCLAIR, N. J.—FURNISHED HOUSE to let, from June 15 to Sept. 15; nine rooms; fine views; high ground; ten minutes' walk from depot. Inquire of FREDERIC CONDIT, No. 38 Pearl-st., New-York.

TO LET—TO A PRIVATE FAMILY ONLY, a very fine and commodious house, with gas-fixtures, cornices, &c., located in West 12th-st., a few doors west of 6th-av. Immediate possession. Apply to HOMER MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st.

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TO RENT—A FURNISHED COTTAGE AT Cedarhurst, Long Island; five minutes' from steam-boat landing. For terms address Box No. 1,187 Post-office.

TO LET—AT MONTCLAIR, N. J., A WELL-furnished cottage-house, nine rooms, pleasantly situated, for Summer or year. Inquire of GEORGE DE CLEARMAN, No. 110 Wall-st.

TO LET—AT ENGLEWOOD, N. J., for two months from July 8, a large stone house, furnished, with every convenience. Address Box No. 83 Englewood Post-office.

EAST CHESTER.—TO LEASE, NEAR two railroad depots, a country-seat; large house, with out-buildings; also remunerating view, &c. Apply at No. 163 Fulton-st., or PETER A. JACKSON

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TO RENT—FOR THE SUMMER, AT ROSEville, N. J., (between Newark and Orange,) a large house, thoroughly furnished, and with all modern improvements, bath-room, water closets, &c.; half an acre of ground, with abundance of fruit and shade trees. Apply to J. H. SUYDAM, No. 45 Broadway.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

EXECUTORS' SALE.

V. K. Stevenson, Son & Co.,

H. P. FAIRCHILD, Auctioneer,

will sell

AT AUCTION,

ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 7, 1871,

at 12 M., at EXCHANGE SALES-ROOM, No. 111 Broadway, by order of executors of

ISAAC DYCKMAN,

deceased, over

500 LOTS ON BROADWAY

and contiguous streets and avenues, being the remaining part of

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SIXTY-FIVE PER CENT. ON MORTGAGE.

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O. H. PIERSON, Auctioneer.

BY A. D. MELLICK, JR., & BRO., auctioneers and dealers in New-Jersey real estate, No. 6 Pine-st., New-York,

SATURDAY, June 3, 1871, at 3 P. M.,

on the premises,

POSITIVE SALE AT AUCTION

OF

100 CHOICE BUILDING LOTS,

AT

BAYONNE, N. J.,

twenty-five minutes from the New-York side of the river, by the Central Railroad of New-Jersey.

FORTY-FIVE TRAINS DAILY.

These are situated in the best portion of the Second Ward of the City of Bayonne, fronting on Avenues A and B, Oakland and Maple avs., five minutes' walk from station.

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BELL P. FAIRCHILD, Auctioneer.

BY V. K. STEVENSON, SON & CO., Office No. 11 Pine-st., first floor.

MONDAY, JUNE 12, 1871, AT 12 O'CLOCK,

At the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway,

SUPREME COURT SALE OF THE ENTIRE BLOCK OF TWENTY-SEVEN WEST-SIDE LOTS,

Bounded by the Grand Boulevard, 10th-av., 76th and 77th sts.

This property lies in the HEART of the great WEST SIDE; 77th-st. is the southerly boundary of the ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS, and the above property mostly lies below the grade, and is between the CENTRAL PARK and the ZOOLOGICAL GARDENS on the east, with the RIVERSIDE PARK, the HUDSON RIVER and RIVERSIDE BOULEVARD on the west.

N. B.—This is the LAST chance for buyers to secure, direct from executors, lots and plots of lots where there is so large a parcel as an ENTIRE BLOCK offered, by the BUILT-UP portion of the City. Terms liberal. For maps and particulars apply to the auctioneers, No. 11 Pine-st., or to WARD & JONES & WHITEHEAD, counsel for the executors, No. 6 Wall-st., New-York.

ALSO AT SAME TIME AND PLACE,

WEST SIXTIETH-STREET.—The three-story first-class high-stoop extra large double DWELLING, with every modern improvement, together with the very valuable

EIGHT FULL LOTS OF LAND

fronting 100 feet on the northerly side of 60th-st., and running through to the southerly side of 61st-st., commencing only about 1,475 feet westerly from the great junction of Broadway with the Grand Boulevard, 8th-av., the Circle and the Central Park; and easterly of the above property line on the northerly side of 60th-st., 100 feet east of 10th-av., overlooking the Hudson; it has all the advantages of the GREAT WEST SIDE. Both streets are graded and sewered. The house and four lots will be sold separately, if desired; and in that case the four 61st-st. lots will be sold together. (See map.) Terms liberal.

WEST FIFTY-SEVENTH-STREET.—The FIVE valuable LOTS OF LAND, situate on the northerly side of West 57th-st. (60 feet wide, sewered and paved), commencing 425 feet West from 9th-av. Fine building sites; overlooking the Hudson; near Broadway, &c.

WEST SIXTY-FIFTH-STREET.—ONE full LOT on the south side of 65th-st., 100 feet west of 9th-av. and Central Park.

BROADWAY AND NAROLE-AVENUE, NEAR ELWOOD-STREET.—TWO extra-size choice LOTS of the "Dyckman Sale," (Oct. 14, 1868.) Diagram No. 8; Lots Nos. 92 and 106.

For maps and particulars apply at the office of the auctioneers, No. 11 Pine-st.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT, UNDER FORECLOSURE OF MORTGAGES.

The Sheriff of Westchester County, by virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court, will positively sell at public auction, without reserve, on the premises, on

SATURDAY, June 3, at 1 o'clock,

400 CHOICE LOTS AT MAMARONECK,

situate at and near the depot on the Boulevard, Kinsfield-av., &c. The above is very choice business property, and is rapidly appreciating in value under immediate improvement. For the accommodation of all classes of buyers, the property will be sold in SINGLE LOTS AND SMALL PARCELS, and the sale will be absolute in every respect, as it must be sold to SATISFY THE MORTGAGES under the decree of the Court.

Maps, terms, &c., at offices of ROBERT H. BRUNDAGE, Esq., Counsel, at White Plains; JOHNSON & MILLER, No. 25 Nassau-st., New-York; or of Mr. SUMMERS, at the hotel opposite the depot at Mamaroneck.

MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.

HANDSOME COUNTRY-SEAT ON RICHMOND HILL, STAMFORD, CONN., AT AUCTION.

E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction, THURSDAY, June 8, 1871, at 12 o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, (Trinity Building,) New-York, the handsome country-seat of W. Lester, Esq., situated on Richmond Hill, Stamford, Conn., about three-quarters of a mile from the station, and being the south-west corner of Terrace-av. and Waterview-place. House is two-stories, French roof, and basement, (frame, filled in with brick,) and finished in the best manner for the owner's own use, under the supervision of a first-class New-York architect; contains about fifteen rooms, hot and cold water, gas throughout the house, and complete bath-room, and is in perfect order. Out-buildings consist of large gardener's lodge or cottage, fine stable and coach-house, green-house, &c., all being very convenient, having plenty of accommodation for gardener, coachman, &c. Grounds 555.8 feet front, 401.3 feet rear, by an average depth of 461.9 feet, being about five acres, are laid out in lawn and garden, well stocked with every variety of choice fruit, and plenty of shade and ornamental trees. The views from the house are very extensive, embracing Stamford; also, Long Island Sound for many miles, and the interior country. It is proposed to widen and straighten Terrace-av. during the Summer, which will bring the place within five minutes' drive of the station.

For maps and permits to view the premises, apply to the auctioneers, No. 3 Pine-st., New-York.

A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer.

POSITIVE SALE

OF 600 LOTS OF GROUND,

AT FORDHAM, WESTCHESTER COUNTY,

Near the Depot,

Adjoining the St. John's College Grounds and the Lorillard Estate.

AT AUCTION, THURSDAY, JUNE 8, 1871,

At 1 P. M., on the premises,

BY A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO.,

BEING FORMERLY PART OF THE POWELL FARM.

These lots are among the most valuable in this part of Westchester County, being on the Southern Boulevard, and on Union and Crescent. Cambreleng and Lorillard avenues, and West Farm road. The Viaduct Railroad, now in progress, will make this one of the most valuable properties now before the public. Terms favorable. Maps at No. 77 Cedar-st. Particulars hereafter.

MORRIS WILKINS, Auctioneer.

FIRST-CLASS HOUSE, NO. 508 8TH-AV., AT AUCTION.

E. H. LUDLOW & CO. will sell at auction, on MONDAY, June 5, 1871, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway:

PIFTH AVENUE—House, and lot (leasehold) No. 508 5th-av, west side, between 42d and 43d sts.; house is 25x76 feet, four stories, brown stone, high stoop, in good order, and contains every convenience; lot 102 feet; lease has ten years to run, with two renewals of twenty-one years each; present ground rent, $500 per annum and taxes; possession on delivery of the deed; $30,000 may remain on bond and mortgage, if desired. Maps and permits at the auctioneers' office, No. 3 Pine-st.

WM. M. LITTLE, Auctioneer.

WYCKOFF & LITTLE

Will sell on TUESDAY, June 6, 1871,

At 12 o'clock, at No. 279 Fulton-st.,

Adjoining Pike Theatre, Brooklyn,

POSITIVE SALE.

No. 535 Bedford-av., east side, between Lafayette-av. and Kosciusko-sts, Brooklyn, three-story basement and sub-cellar brick dwelling-house, stone brimmings, twelve rooms, all improvements; house, 20x32; extension, 8 feet; lot, 94 feet. Maps now ready at office of auctioneers, No. 279 Montague-st.

Lewis E. WOOD, Auctioneer.

WEST 35TH WARD—SIX STRENUS WARD OF Jersey City—near depot of Newark and New-York Railroad, twenty minutes from Liberty-st., New-York, fare only ten cents.

SIXTY BUILDING LOTS,

finely situated and ready for immediate improvement, to be sold at auction THURSDAY, June 8, at 2½ P. M., on the ground. For maps, tickets, &c., apply to L. E. WOOD, No. 79 Montgomery-st., Jersey City, or J. W. SULLIVAN, [illegible]

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

BY J. JOHNSON, Jr., Auctioneer.

OFFICE No. 23 MARSHALL-ST.

TUESDAY, JUNE 6,

At 12 o'clock, at Exchange Sales-Room, 111 Broadway,

POSITIVE AND IMPORTANT SALE OF VALUABLE CENTRAL PARK LOTS,

BETWEEN

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Cuba, Wednesday, June 28 | Siberia, Tuesday, June 20

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By the Wednesday and Saturday Steamers.
First Cabin, $130, gold. Second Cabin, $60, gold.
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NEMESIS.....Thursday, June 1, 4 P. M.
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.....Tuesday, June 13, 1 P. M.

And each succeeding SATURDAY and THURSDAY, from Pier No. 45 North River.

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IDAHO, Capt. PRICE.....June 14, at 2 P. M.
MANHATTAN, Capt. CHESEBROUGH.....June 21, at 2 P. M.
COLORADO, Capt. T. F. FREEMAN, June 21, at 5 P. M.
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Passage to Liverpool or Queenstown: Cabin, $75 and $80, currency; steerage, $26 currency.

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June 19, steamer RISING STAR, Capt. H. P. CORNER, will leave Pier No. 42 North River, at 12 o'clock noon, for Aspinwall, touching at Kingston, and connecting at Panama with the splendid one-day steamer PANAMA, for Acapulco, Del Rey, Panama, Punta Arenas, San Jose, Guatemala, Acapulco and Manzillan, and also connecting for all Central American and South Pacific ports. Freight for last-named ports received until 4 P. M. of June 12.

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R. LOWDEN, Agent,
No. 10 West-st.

VIRGO, Capt. BULKLEY, TUESDAY, June 6, from Pier No. 16 East River, at 3 P. M.
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OFFICE OF THE NEW-YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY,
ALBANY, April 25, 1871.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the New-York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company, for the election of thirteen Directors of this Company, and for three Inspectors of Election, will be held at the office of the Company, in the Exchange, at the City of Albany, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of June next.

The poll will be open at 12 o'clock M., and continue open for one hour thereafter.

The transfer-books will be closed at the close of business on Saturday, May 6, and will be reopened on the morning of Thursday, the 8th day of June next. By order of the Board of Directors.

AUGUSTUS SCHELL, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE NORTH AMERICAN FIRE INS. CO., NO. 128 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, May 26, 1871.

AT THE REGULAR ANNUAL ELECTION for Directors, held at the office of the Company on Monday, May 29, 1871, the following were elected the Board of Directors for the ensuing year:

Josiah Lane, J. Anchincloss, John Bryan,
W. Wainwright, Oliver S. Carter, H. W. Lyman,
R. V. Bankford, Wm. Barton, T. Bleecker,
Caleb Swan, O. H. Shepard, Jos. A. Sprague,
Thomas W. Gale, J. B. Johnson, H. C. Van Vorst,
Thomas Tileston, Sidney Brooks, H. A. Whittemore,
Aeam Orvill, John B. Snook.

At a subsequent meeting of the Board of Directors, R. W. BLEECKER was unanimously re-elected President, and WYLLIS BLACKSTONE Vice-President.

F. H. CARTER, Secretary.

OFFICE OF CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY,
No. 52 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, April 26, 1871.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Chicago and North-Western Railway Company, for the election of Directors pursuant to law, and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them, will be held at the office of the Company, in the City of Chicago, on THURSDAY, the 1st day of June next, at 1 o'clock P. M.

The transfer-books will be closed on the 20th day of April inst., at the close of business on that day, and reopened on Saturday, the 3d day of June next, at 10 A. M.

JOHN F. TRACY, President.
A. L. PRITCHARD, Secretary.

MILWAUKEE AND ST. PAUL RAILWAY COMPANY.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of said Company for the election of four directors, and the transaction of such other business as may properly be done at annual meetings, will be held at the Company's office, in Milwaukee, on SATURDAY, June 10, 1871; the polls to be open from 12 noon, to 1 P. M.

The transfer-books will be closed from 23d May, 1871, at 2 P. M., until 20th June, at 10 A. M.

JAMES M. McKINLAY,
Transfer Agent.

OFFICE OF THE
DOUGLAS MINING COMPANY OF COLORADO,
NEW-YORK, May 1, 1871.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of this Company, for the election of seven Directors, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 24 Pine-st., in the City of New-York, on SATURDAY, the 10th day of June next. Polls will be opened from 12 M. until 2 P. M. of that day.

MATHIAS GOETZEL,
President.

THE MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NEW-YORK, No. 144 AND 146 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, May 18, 1871.

AN ELECTION FOR NINE TRUSTEES of this Company, to hold office for four years, in place of Trustees whose terms expire on that day, will be held at the office of the Company, on MONDAY, June 5, 1871.

The polls will be open at and from 12 o'clock noon, until 2 o'clock P. M.

JOHN M. STUART, Secretary.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a certificate for 125 shares of the capital stock of the Harlem Gas-Light Company, being certificate No. 1,515, issued to Thomas Smith, Aug. 12, 1869, has been lost, and that an application will be made to the Company for a duplicate certificate thereof. A suitable reward will be paid to any one returning the lost certificate to CHARLES R. SMITH & CO.,
No. 40 Warren-st., New-York.

NEW-YORK, May 27, 1871.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an election will be held at the office of the New-York Bridge Company, No. 31 Fulton-st., in the City of Brooklyn, on Monday, the 5th day of June next, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, for fifteen Directors of said Company, for the then ensuing year.—Dated May 1, 1871. HENRY C. MURPHY, President.
C. A. GUEZARD, Secretary.

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TO THE STOCKHOLDERS IN THE Delaware and Raritan Canal, Camden and Amboy Railroad and Transportation, and New-Jersey Railroad and Transportation Companies: Copies of the lease, as proposed to be made to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, are now at the office of the Company, No. 238 Broadway, New-York, and may with Samuel Welsh, Chairman of the Committee, No. 218 South Delaware-av., Philadelphia; Robert F. Stockton, Trenton, and A. L. Dennis, Newark, for examination by the stockholders, and an abstract will be sent to all desiring same, and full explanations will be made at the above-mentioned places.

HARLEM EXTENSION RAILROAD COMPANY.—Notice to Stockholders.—The annual election for thirteen Directors of this Company, for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company, corner of 26th-st. and 4th-av., in the City of New-York, on TUESDAY, the 13th day of June next. The polls will be opened from 12 o'clock noon until 2 P. M. of that day.

The transfer-books will be closed from 2 o'clock P. M. of the 13th day of May next until 9 o'clock A. M. of the 14th day of June next.

R. C. ROOT, Secretary.

OFFICE OF BROADWAY AND 7TH-AV. RAILROAD COMPANY, 7th-av. and 51st-st.
NEW-YORK, May 25, 1871.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of this Company, for the election of directors and inspectors of election for the ensuing year, will be held on TUESDAY, June 13, 1871, at the office of the Company. Polls open at 1 o'clock P. M. and close at 3 o'clock P. M.

The transfer-books will be closed June 6, and reopened June 14.

J. W. POSHAY, President.

OFFICE OF THE WILLIAMSBURG GAS-LIGHT COMPANY, BROOKLYN, N. Y., May 15, 1871.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Williamsburg Gas-Light Company, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company on MONDAY, June 5, 1871, from 5 to 6 o'clock P. M.

The transfer-books will be closed from May 20 to June 5, inclusive.

C. F. BLODGETT, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE GREENPOINT GAS-LIGHT COMPANY, BROOKLYN, N. Y., May 15, 1871.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the Greenpoint Gas-Light Company, for the election of Directors for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the Company on MONDAY, June 5, 1871, from 5 to 6 o'clock P. M.

The transfer-books will be closed from May 20 to June 6, inclusive.

C. F. BLODGETT, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE NEW-YORK EQUITABLE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 58 WALL-ST.,
NEW-YORK, May 25, 1871.

THE ANNUAL ELECTION FOR DIrectors of this Company will be held at their Office on MONDAY, the 26th day of June next.

The poll will open at 12 M. and close at 1 o'clock P. M. JOHN MILLER, Secretary.

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OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY COMPANY,
OFFICE NO. 58 WALL-ST.,
NEW-YORK, May 15, 1871.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL INTEREST DUE June 1, 1871, on the Preferred Stock of the Ohio and Mississippi Railway Company, will be paid on and after that date at the office of the Company, No. 58 Wall-st., New-York. Also, the dividend of 3 per cent. declared stock will be closed on May 25, at 3 o'clock P. M., and reopen on June 1, at 10 o'clock A. M. By order of Executive and Finance Committee.

E. D. HAMMOND, Secretary.

BANKRUPT NOTICES.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE—THAT ON the 27th day of May, A. D. 1871, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of JAMES R. GILMORE, of New-York City, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, (formerly a member of the firm of J. R. Gilmore & Co.,) who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition; that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt to him, or for his use, and the transfer of any property by him, are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 7 Beekman-st., in the City of New-York, (the same being the Court of New-York City, before Mr. James F. Dwight, Register, on the 23d day of June, A. D. 1871, at 1 o'clock P. M.

GEORGE H. SHARPE, U. S. Marshal,
as Messenger, Southern District of New-York.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of CLEMENTINA T. RICHARDSON, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—A warrant in Bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of Clementina T. Richardson, of the County of New-York, of the State of New-York, in said District, adjudged a bankrupt upon the petition of her creditors, and the payment of any debts and the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt, to her or for her use, and the transfer of any property by her, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of her estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at No. 7 Beekman-st., in the City of New-York, in said district, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1871, at 12 o'clock M., at the office of James F. Dwight, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said Court.

GEORGE H. SHARPE,
Marshal, Messenger.

No. 3,017.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT of the United States, for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of MICHAEL HOLLACHER, bankrupt.—In Bankruptcy.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Michael Hollacher, of the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and State of New-York, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon his own petition by the District Court of said district. Dated at New-York, the 5th day of May, A. D. 1871.

JOHN SEDG WICK, Assignee,
jy2-law3wF* No. 137 Broadway, New-York.

No. 2,997.—IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF the United States for the Southern District of New-York.—In the matter of ALBERT C. LAMSON and WESLEY STONEY, bankrupts.—To whom it may concern: The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of Albert C. Lamson and Wesley Stoney, of the City of New-York, in the County of New-York and state of New-York, within said District, who have been adjudged bankrupts upon a creditors' petition by the District Court of said District.—Dated at New-York the 10th day of May, A. D. 1871.

HORACE C. SAMMIS, Assignee.
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IN BANKRUPTCY.—SOUTHERN DISTRICT of New-York, ss.—At the City of Hudson, the 23d day of May, A. D., 1871.—The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as assignee of WILLIAM WELCH, of Hudson, in the County of Columbia, and State of New-York, within said district, who has been adjudged a bankrupt, upon the petition of his creditors, by the District Court of said district.

ARTHUR M. HANKES, Assignee.
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PUBLIC NOTICES.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE High Court of Chancery, made in a cause, FREEMAN against MATHIESON, 1871, F. No. 85, whereby it was among other things ordered that an inquiry should be made, what is the AMERICAN BAPTIST MISSIONARY UNION, Boston, Mass., in the United States of America, mentioned in the will of ALBERT LAMPER FREEMAN, formerly of Boston, in the State of Massachusetts, in the United States of America, and afterward of Shanghai, in the Empire of China, merchant, but who, at the time of his death, was domiciled in England, and who ass or is the trustees or trustee, treasurers or treasurer, or other the representatives or representative thereof to which Union the said testator, in the events in his said will mentioned, devised and bequeathed all his residuary real and personal estate in trust, to apply the annual income thereof toward the development and support of Christian Missions in China, notice is hereby given that all persons claiming to be such trustees or trustees, treasurers or treasurer, or other the representatives or representative of the American Baptist Missionary Union aforesaid, are by their solicitors, on or before Monday, the 17th day of July, 1871, to come in and prove their claims at the Chambers of the Vice-Chancellor, Sir Richard Malins, at No. 3 Stone Buildings, Lincoln's Inn, Middlesex, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said decree.

Monday, the 17th day of July, 1871, at 12 of the clock, at noon, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.

Dated this 24 day of May, 1871.

JOHN WATSON, No. 30 Coleman-st., London, plaintiff's solicitor. my19-law3wF*

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THE METHODISTS AGAIN

Hearing on the Motion for a Peremptory Mandamus.

Dr. Lanahan's Counter Affidavits to Dr. Carlton's—He Reiterates His Original Charges, and Adds Others Relative to the Financial Accounts of the Book Concern.

The hearing on the motion for a peremptory mandamus on behalf of Dr. LANAHAN against Dr. CARLTON, agent of the Methodist Book Concern in this City, came up yesterday pursuant to adjournment, before Judge [illegible]MAN, in Supreme Court, Chambers. Mr. [illegible] PARCHER and IRA W. SHAFFER appeared for Dr. [illegible] on behalf of Dr. CARLTON, and Mr. [illegible] GRIFFIN represented BROWN, MALL and [illegible] on behalf of Dr. LANAHAN. In the absence of Mr. VANDERPOEL, who had intended conducted the case in Court at the Circuit, in Albany, Mr. SMITH moved for [illegible] or else would consent to read the affidavits prepared on the part of Dr. LANAHAN, in opposition to those already presented by Dr. CARLTON, and subject to a future day. Judge [illegible] consented to a future day. Judge [illegible] had been served on the opposing counsel. To this Mr. SMITH replied that they had not, such service not having been directed by the Court, but, indeed, as he knew, expected by the opposing counsel, but that he had a copy already prepared, which he then handed to Mr. PARCHER. Pending found that on the part of Dr. CARLTON, there would not be sufficient time to prepare counter-affidavits to such matters in them offered on behalf of Dr. LANAHAN as he might consider irrelevant. Judge INGRAHAM directed that the further hearing be adjourned over to the June Term of the Court, which begins on Monday next. It will be remembered by the readers of the TIMES, that the motion for the mandamus was originally based, that Dr. CARLTON had refused him (Dr. LANAHAN) permission to examine the check-books, bank-books, vouchers, &c., of the Book Concern, such examination being necessary for the purposes of sustaining certain allegations in a statement of the Book Concern, and thereby prepare a good defense to a suit for slander brought against him by SAMUEL J. GOODENOUGH, for having made such charges. Dr. LANAHAN based his claim to such examination, and an order of mandamus compelling it, on the ground that, as an assistant agent of the Book Concern, and as attorney with full control of the books of the Book Concern, and that Dr. LANAHAN as assistant agent, was his subordinate; that Dr. LANAHAN had made certain unfounded charges of fraud as existing in the management of the Concern, and being sued for libel in having made such charges, he desired an examination of the books in the hope of getting evidence to sustain his assertions; and, that though in his (Dr. CARLTON'S) opinion, he (Dr. LANAHAN) had no right to such examination, yet he was willing to afford it to him, but not willing to allow the books into his exclusive possession.

These statements of Dr. CARLTON are now met by counter-affidavits on behalf of Dr. LANAHAN, which were offered on the hearing yesterday, and copies of which were served on Dr. CARLTON'S counsel. First among these affidavits is that of Dr. LANAHAN himself, in which he refers to section 6 of the Book of Discipline of the Methodist Episcopal Church, which provides for the appointment of an agent and two assistant agents of the Book Concern by whom its business shall be conducted in the Cities of New-York and San Francisco, and claims that, so far as he can see, there is no material or substantial distinction between the duties of the agent and assistant agent, nor in their responsibilities, except in so far as the designations may of themselves imply such distinction; that, in the ordinary business transactions of the Book Concern, he, as assistant agent, acknowledges and countersigns, and transmits the judgments and opinions of his associate, and refer such matters to his decision when necessary; but, in all matters that touched the moral integrity of its management, he stands on the ground of equality with his associate as joint trustee; that such equality belongs to him as much as the discipline as by the act of incorporation, and there is no practice or understanding in the Church to the contrary. He denies at any time having uttered injurious or untruthful charges against the Book Concern. It is, he admits, true that he has made charges derogatory to the management of some of the former employes of said Concern, and has charged that losses had occurred to the Book Concern by reason thereof, and that the being of such charges of a grave nature that the Book Committee convened to investigate the same, who, after examining such charges, unanimously reported "that the investigation of the affairs and business of the bindery has satisfied the Committee that there has been a great mismanagement in the department, and that serious losses have occurred thereto;" that in January, 1870, the Book Committee again assembled, and in February a majority of the members made the report which is annexed to the affidavit of Dr. CARLTON. A minority report signed by three of the Committee was also rendered dissenting from the said report of the majority, giving as one reason therefor, among others, "Because nothing has come before us during our present session to relieve our convictions of losses and management in the Book Concern, so insufficiently expressed in the Committee's report in November last." He (Dr. LANAHAN) admits that during session of the Book Committee in 1870, he copied the statement of charges as the Committee to be printed, for their convenience, and after their adjournment he furnished a few printed copies, omitting certain names and one allegation, to ministers and others in the Church, and said statement, or "Ty-shee," was substantially true, but he denies that in so doing, or in any other act or manner he has persisted in, shown or intended any hostility to the good name, fame or credit of the said Book Concern, but, on the contrary, has intended and been actuated by a desire to protect and preserve such good name, fame and credit, as all that he has done in the premises. He denies that Dr. CARLTON has, either by himself or others, permitted any of the accountants employed by him (Dr. LANAHAN) at any time to have access to all the books and papers of the establishment without limitation or exception; or that during any time he (Dr. LANAHAN) or his accountants have had access to or inspection of all the books and papers; that on the contrary they were denied access by Dr. CARLTON to a portion of said books and papers, and to the books and papers already specified as those which he now seeks particularly to inspect. He admits it true that he was suspended by the Book Committee upon charges and specifications filed by H. F. PEASE and others in October, 1870, and that his trial came on in January, 1871; that he put in an answer and was ready and anxious for trial, but claims that he was relieved from suspension without investigation, without any promise made by him to prevent the investigation, and that such investigation was not suspended by reason of any promise made by him. He charges that the act of the Legislature incorporating the Book Concern was passed at the instance of the principal agent and the attorney of the Concern; that $500,000 of stock was issued in pursuance thereof, by the always supposed that subsequent to such act, the Book Concern was carried on under the authority of its provisions, and so charges the fact to be; that in January, 1871, when the Book Committee discontinued the investigation of the charges against him, they adopted a certain resolution providing for the appointment of a Committee to investigate the business arrangement and method in the Book Concern, and giving such Committee authority to call to their and such accountants as they might deem necessary, and selection of such accountants to be referred to Rev. Bishop SCOTT, E. L. FANCHER and G. G. REYNOLDS; that such Committee, having met twice and failed to appoint accountants, adjourned *sine die*, and then Dr. CARLTON selected three book-keepers. He (Dr. LANAHAN) then proposed to Dr. CARLTON that he take either two of those he had selected and he (LANAHAN) would select a third, and thus make the examination mutual. This Dr. CARLTON refused, saying he would have been glad to do so had the application been made sooner, but that he had already employed one whom he (Dr. LANAHAN) then proposed to add a fourth, which Dr. CARLTON also refused.

Dr. LANAHAN's affidavit then proceeds as follows:

Dr. CARLTON, in his affidavits herein, admits that I have lately made efforts to have some accountant of my own choice and what those he has selected, and he charges that the object of such evinced a design inimical and unfriendly to the Book Concern." I am unable to understand wherein in what manner such "animical and unfriendly design" is manifested by such efforts or acts; and I emphatically deny all such insinuations. I consider it my duty to [illegible] books; I desire to examine [illegible] and I regard the opposition manifested by Dr. CARLTON [illegible] as